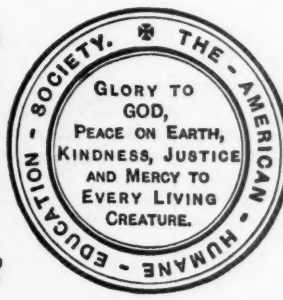


Our Dumb Animals.

"The Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals," "The American Humane Education Society," and "The American Bands of Mercy."

"WE SPEAK FOR
THOSE THAT



CANNOT SPEAK
FOR THEMSELVES."

I would not enter on my list of friends,
Though graced with polished manners and fine sense,
Yet wanting sensibility, the man
Who needlessly sets foot upon a worm.—COWPER.

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HORSES IN WAR.

[From a recent German book written by Baroness von Suttner, daughter of an Austrian general.]

"Only by most extreme efforts, dripping with sweat and urged by cruel blows which were rained upon them, could the horses drag the guns; one, overcome with fatigue, dropped in his tracks. Does not the man whose blows are falling upon the head of the poor beast see this? If the rough rascal were the driver of a wagon loaded with stone upon the highway any policeman would have arrested him. But this cannoneer, who was responsible for his gun, only fulfilled the duty of his position. This the horse could not know; the tormented, willing, faithful creature who made the most desperate exertions to do his duty—what must it think of such cruelty and such misunderstanding of its efforts—think, as animals think, not with words and ideas, but with sensations—sensations the more powerful because of their impossibility of expression? Only one

audible sign can it give—a shriek of agony. And it did shriek as it fell—the poor creature!—a cry so long-drawn and agonizing that it sounded in my ears for hours after and pursued me in dreams. It was a frightful dream. I heard the shrieks not of one but one hundred thousand artillery horses perishing on the fields of battle. Mankind, which causes this frightful danger to life, knows the why and wherefore; but these unhappy creatures can see no cause for all this suffering and misery.”

ON THE WAY TO AFRICA.

[From letter of LORD FREDERICK BLACKWOOD, of the Ninth British Hussars, to his father, LORD DUFFERIN, formerly Governor-General of Canada.]

“My Dear Father,—I do not really know where to begin this letter, such exciting and horrible things have happened since last I wrote to you.

“Two of my chargers and four others were immediately washed overboard.

“Now came the most horrible scene I have ever witnessed. The deck was covered with one mass of struggling horses and mules, mixed up with the broken woodwork of the stables, the whole being hurled first to one side of the deck and then to the other—all horribly wounded; most with broken legs and some with eyes torn out. My first charger, the one you gave me, and the nicest horse I am ever likely to have, was amongst them, but I managed from a hatchway to get a shot at her with my revolver, and so, I am glad to say, none of my three suffered the torments of hell like the others. To make a long story short, out of 50 horses and mules on my deck only three were saved.”

From Buffalo Express.

THE HORSE IN MODERN WAR.

[From The Buffalo Horse World.]

In the war in South Africa of to-day the hostile battalions of two hostile armies employ the same chaplains to repeat the same prayers in the same creed. And strange as it may seem, in spite of big guns that will kill at six miles; in spite of dynamite bombs that will kill a whole company of soldiers if well directed; in spite of lyddite shells that tear up half an acre of solid earth, and in spite of all the devils of destruction that the genius of modern invention has produced, the cavalry horse and the army mule still remain the most potent factors of this war in Africa.

In the land of the Transvaal, where the Boers are now battling to hold their country against England, during the dry season the earth puts forth no verdure, and the rivers are emptied of their waters. How can an army of cavalry subsist in such a country as this? How can the horses of the United States or Europe live in a country where the thermometer ranges 120 degrees in the mid-day, even now. Already the English government has purchased in the United States over 15,000 mules that have been shipped to the seat of war in South Africa. Ten times 10,000 more mules will be wanted. And where are these much-wanted cavalry horses to come from? The United States and Canada will have to supply the demand.

A QUESTION OF DEEP INTEREST TO MANY OF OUR READERS.

The horse Wonder—that famous horse of James McGrogan’s—is dead. Chloroformed and sent out of the world peacefully. That was his fate. The story is a strange one. Ever since the day that James McGrogan was sick the horse grew moody and restless. No one had ever fed or watered him but the man who lay sick and dying. The two had been daily companions. The horse’s stable and stall was James’ daily lounging place, and he had taught his equine friend the curious tricks which made him really a wonder. As the man grew worse and the days passed without his face being seen in the stable the horse became more restless and unruly. He would allow no one to approach him, and he did what he had never before done, he kicked down the sides of his comfortable stall. This was on the day when James McGrogan died. From that very day the horse would neither eat nor drink and his death by starvation was only a question of a few days. Tender and kindly hearts who had loved his master tried every means to tempt the horse with food and drink, but the big and winsome brute would have neither of them, and to save him from suffering the veterinary surgeon sent him beyond the reach of pain. Now, you bright philosophers and deep thinkers, can any of you explain the relative connection between the death of the man and the death of the horse which that man in his life loved and cared for? And are they together again away in the beyond? If not, why not?

Evening News, Paterson, N. J.

AFTER ONE OF THE BATTLES.

After one of the battles in the terrible war now raging in South Africa two wounded men were brought into the hospital. One of them was a Briton, the other a Boer. Each had an arm shot to pieces. The arms were cut off in the same place by the surgeon. The two men were laid upon cots close together. When Tommy (every common English soldier is called Tommy Atkins), saw the Boer near him suffering from his wound, he called the nurse and asked her to take the Boer something from his case of supplies. “Tell him,” said Tommy, “that I sent it.” The nurse did as she was asked. The wounded Boer was so affected by the little kindness from his fellow sufferer, who had an hour before been his supposed enemy, that he broke down and cried like a child. Tommy also gave way and cried, and the nurse who was caring for them both had to hurry away to keep from joining them in their tears.

How sad it is that war should bring such men as these to treat each other as enemies.

From the Angel of Peace.

A WITNESS.

A witness of one of the battles between Generals Methuen and Cronje, after giving some details of the awful hell-pit before his eyes, despairs of finding words to make any one feel the unspeakable horrors of the scene, and declares that the best he can do is to call it a “terrible slaughter.”

How can men and women who weep over

an ordinary death, who go frenzied over a railway wreck or an ocean disaster, read and speak without pain of what is deliberately done every day in South Africa? Men go out in the morning scouting; in the evening their horses come back without them, or are seen dragging them away over the hills and plains. Shells are dropped into tents, killing half a dozen men, mangling as many more, and tearing the life out of a dozen horses. Men charge with inhuman yells up a hill, bodies are ripped to shreds and heads blown off as they go. When they reach the top other men, rolling on their backs and begging for mercy, are jabbed to death with lances, and it is euphemistically called “excellent pig-sticking.” Troops stealthily conceal themselves, and when their enemy is near pour murderous volleys which sweep down whole ranks, and this fiendishness is called shrewdness and strategy! An attempt is made to cross a river, and dead and wounded are heaped up in bloody, writhing piles and rows by the terrific rifle and rapid-gun fire. People seem to lose all heart and conscience when they read of these diabolical brutalities. Worse still, most persons enter much into the spirit of the participants, madly exulting if one side wins, raving or sullenly despairing if victory goes to the other.—From Advocate of Peace.

WAR IN A NUTSHELL.

Count Tolstoi, the great Russian philanthropist, tells the story of most wars when he says, substantially, that through the cunning manipulations of politicians poor men are led to forget the teachings of Christ and at the command of their leaders shoot down other poor people who are their brother Christians and might be their best friends, while at the same time the other poor people are compelled to support the men who are employed to shoot them down.

A SHORT LESSON FOR SCHOOLS AND SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.



Well, what are these men at?

These men are at war.

Will not these men kill each other?

Yes, they will. Men go to war to kill each other.

Did these men who are fighting get up the war?

Oh, no; the politicians got up the war.

Had these men who are fighting any cause to dislike each other?

Oh, no; none whatever.

Have these men who are fighting, fathers and mothers and wives and children?

Oh, yes; many of them.

Is war bad for horses as well as men?

Yes; horses have no hospitals or ambulance corps or pensions; they are not unfrequently left on battlefields to die of starvation. War is hell for horses.

Is it right for men to fight and kill each other and thousands of horses in war?

The United States says it is, and England says it is, and they go a long way across the ocean to fight and kill, and say they are doing right.

GENERAL HENDERSON,
SPEAKER OF OUR U. S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, ABHORS WAR.

Gen. D. B. Henderson, of Iowa, *speaker of the House of Representatives*, said at a soldiers' gathering in Chicago, Sept. 12, 1893:

"I wish I had all the gifts to speak my abhorrence of war. Art, poetry, romance and history have magnified and glorified the soldier, but the time is coming when these great instruments of power will desert their favorite theme and lead the great forces of thought away from the slaughter-house up to the higher fields of human action. The bull-fight, the cock-pit, the prize-ring and the battle-field must all go down together.

"Young as we are as a nation we have spent eighteen long years in battle—four of them in deadly fratricidal strife. *Let us cut down our army bill and save our earnings for the school-house, the library and the home.*

"Europe is expending on her armies \$814,000,000 annually. No wonder the children of the Old World have been seeking a new home! Should the homes of the people be loaded down with billions of debt in order that some heartless murderer may wear a diadem? *The wretches that have wrought this desolation are the panthers, the hyenas and the ghoul of humanity.* Let the time soon come prayed for by the poet:

"When the war-drum throbs no longer,
And the battle-flags are furled
In the parliament of man,
The federation of the world."

FROM "THE REGIMENT."

[By ERNEST CROSBY, in his "Plain Talk in Psalm and Parable."]

"The regiment is passing down the street to embark for the war.
The band is playing a stirring, swelling march.
The colonel rides alone, with the easy excellence and mastery of a perfect horseman on a perfect horse.
The rank and file march proudly by with eyes fixed before them.
There is conscious courage and self-sacrifice in their look.
Their bayonets are glancing in the sun.
The crowd on each side is carried away with enthusiasm, hurraing, waving handkerchiefs and hats, and some even shedding tears.
It is indeed a thrilling sight.

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And yet I know what these men are advancing to.
They will slaughter other men as courageous and self-sacrificing as themselves, and against whom they have no grievance.
They will grasp others as lovable by the throat in a death struggle, and one life or the other will go out in hate.
They will fill a distant land with moanings and groanings and torments, with widows and orphans."

Nations, like individuals, are powerful in the degree that they command the sympathies of their neighbors.

A MINISTRY BRAVE ENOUGH.

A ministry brave enough to set the seal of its disapproval upon war; brave enough to pray and preach against it, and to invoke the power of Heaven to maintain its divine law by a wholesome growth of humanity in the human heart—brave enough to declare, "I will not ask God to allow one band of His children to crush out the lives of another band! I will not ask Him to fill any country with the mournful lamentations of widows and orphans! I will not ask Him to grant my country a victory that must mean woe and desolation to another, perhaps equally deserving of victory! Such a declaration on the part of the Christian ministry of the world would have a most wonderful effect for good, and be met with the glad hosannas of approval of those who suffer most from the war spirit—the weak, long-suffering, uncomplaining women, whose tears and sufferings have made every blood victory since the world began a dear one.

The Alabama Alliance News.

FROM "THE NEW FREEDOM."

[By ERNEST CROSBY, in his "Plain Talk in Psalm and Parable."]

"Americans you once were free,—
Free as the broad prairie and the forest profound,—
And then, after your Revolution, you led the world.
Your example fired France, and France set Europe aflame.
Without battalions or men of war you were in the van of the nations,—
A mere handful, living in straggling hamlets along a thousand miles of narrow seaboard;
Without arms, you were invincible;
Without a fortress, you were invulnerable.
Your strength was your freedom.

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Think you to lead again by dint of armies and navies and coast defences?
Not so is the world mastered.
Spread your frontiers, take Cuba and Hawaii, beguile Canada if you can, push on over the great Southern Hemisphere;
Will these lands be yours?
There is only one possession in them worth the capturing, and that is the hearts of men."

The San Francisco schools have now about 70,000 members of our Bands of Mercy.



"A BAND OF MERCY."

[From "Friends and Helpers," published by Ginn & Co., Boston.]

THE INKSTAND BATTLE.

By S. W. Foss.

We are making smokeless powder
And big bombs to throw a mile,
That will blow the foe to chowder
In the true dynamic style.

We've a whirling gun; you start it,
And the myriad bullets fly,
And a hundred men a minute
Roll their stony eyes and die.

Let us stop this wild death's revel;
Martin Luther, so 'tis said,
Threw his inkstand at the devil,
And the black fiend turned and fled.

Smite your world-wrong; don't combat it
With a fusillade of lead;
Simply throw your inkstand at it;
Come to-morrow, it is dead.

When the world upon the brink stands
Of some crisis steep and dread,
Like brave soldiers seize your inkstands,
Hurl them at the devil's head.

Pour your ink-pots in a torrent
Till the strangling demon sink,
Till the struggling fiend abhorrent
Drown in oceans of black ink.

For the man who's born a fighter,
For the brain that's learned to think,
There is dynamite and nitre
In a bottle of black ink.

Though it makes no weeping nations,
And it leaves no gaping scars,
Placed 'neath error's strong foundations
It may blow them to the stars.

THE PRINCESS OF WALES.

The Princess of Wales and her daughters refuse to wear aigrette feathers and wings, and have accepted imitations made of silk, because of scruples against cruelty to birds.
Springfield Daily News.

OUR DUMB ANIMALS.

Boston, March, 1900.

ARTICLES for this paper may be sent to
GEO. T. ANGELL, President, 19 Milk St.

BACK NUMBERS FOR DISTRIBUTION.

Persons wishing *Our Dumb Animals* for gratuitous distribution can send us five cents to pay postage, and receive ten copies, or ten cents and receive twenty copies. We cannot afford larger numbers at this price.

TEACHERS AND CANVASSERS.

Teachers can have *Our Dumb Animals* one year for twenty-five cents.

Persons wishing to canvass for the paper will please make application to this office.

Our *American Humane Education Society* sends this paper this month to the editors of over twenty thousand newspapers and magazines.

OUR AMBULANCE

Can be had at any hour of the day or night by calling Telephone 992 Tremont.

Horse owners are expected to pay reasonable charges.

In emergency cases of severe injury, where owners are unable to pay, the ambulance will be sent at the expense of the Society.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND REMITTANCES.

We would respectfully ask all persons who send us subscriptions or remittances to examine our report of receipts, which is published in each number of our paper, and if they do not find the sums they have sent properly credited, kindly notify us.

If correspondents fail to get satisfactory answers please write again, and on the envelope put the word "Personal."

My correspondence is now so large that I can read only a small part of the letters received, and seldom long ones.
GEO. T. ANGELL.

We are glad to report this month seven hundred and forty-three new branches of our Parent Band of Mercy, making a total of forty-one thousand and thirty-nine.



NEW BAND OF MERCY BADGES.

There having been a wide call for cheaper Band of Mercy badges, we have succeeded in adding to the kinds we have been using a new badge in the two sizes above represented. They are very handsome—a white star on a blue ground, with gilt letters, and we sell them at bare cost, five for ten cents, in money or postage stamps, or larger numbers at same price. We cannot attend to smaller orders than five.

HUMANE EDUCATION AND PROTECTION OF ANIMALS.

At the February meeting of the Directors of the American Humane Education Society and the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, held on February 21st, President Angell reported that the Societies' agents had, during the month, attended to 1913 cases, taken 63 horses from work, and mercifully killed 151 horses and other animals.

743 new Bands of Mercy had been formed during the month, making a total of 41,039.

The Bands of Mercy have now been formed in all the schools of 167 Massachusetts cities and towns.

It was voted by the Directors of the M. S. P. C. A. that President Angell be authorized to expend at his discretion five hundred dollars to aid in establishing "Animal Rescue Leagues" in Massachusetts cities.

On February 19th we published the following in all Boston dailies:

FOR THE HORSES.

Will you kindly permit me to ask through your columns, all drivers, teamsters, etc., to be as careful as possible during the continuance of this snow in our streets, not to overload, and so deserve the thanks of all who would save the horses from suffering.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Some of the most pleasant experiences of our life were at Washington in January and February, 1881, when we were at work reviving the dead humane society of that city, and at Hartford, where we stopped on our way to Washington to help found the Connecticut Humane Society. These are now two of the best societies in our country and we always read their annual reports with pleasure. The last report of the Washington Society, just received, is one of great interest, particularly where it tells of 641 "Bands of Mercy" with nearly 26,000 members.

GOOD LETTER FROM ONE OF OUR PROMINENT CITIZENS.

GEO. T. ANGELL, Esq.

BOSTON, Feb. 3, 1900.

Dear Sir:—For your encouragement I wish to say that in my judgment few things in the history of Massachusetts have ever done more to promote a kind feeling towards our Commonwealth than the formation of over forty thousand of your "Bands of Mercy" over our country and elsewhere, and the immense circulation of your humane literature, including, as I understand, some three millions copies of "Black Beauty." Yours truly,

Yours truly, FRANK BYRNE.

WHAT ONE BOSTON "BAND OF MERCY" BOY PROPOSES.

BOSTON, Feb. 1, 1900.

Dear Sir:—I am a member of the "Band of Mercy," and I have a black pony and wagon which I drive around. I would like to know if you would give me the right to put a blanket on my pony reading, "Please blanket your horses," and walk him around the streets. If so, I would be very much pleased.

Yours truly, FRANK BYRNE.

We have no hesitation in saying to Frank that it will give us great pleasure to have him do what he proposes. We employ a man every cold day to walk through our streets with a rubber overcoat, on the front and back of which, in large letters, is printed the same request.

IN THE SCHOOLS OF KENTUCKY.

We think no one can doubt the importance of humane education and "Bands of Mercy" in the schools of Kentucky.

LAUREL HOUSE, LAKEWOOD, N. J.

We are glad to receive from a Boston boy, Harry D. Minot, stopping at the Laurel House, Lakewood, an order for "Band of Mercy" badges for a Band formed, there and one of the most beautiful little pictures we have ever seen, with these words: "With love and kindest regards."

ARKANSAS HUMANE SOCIETY.

We are very glad to learn that the Arkansas Humane Society, with headquarters at Little Rock, has commenced a fine work in that State, and proposes to take active steps in the matter of humane education in the schools.

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

It gives us pleasure to receive on Jan. 30th a request from the "Los Angeles Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals" to assist in forming "Bands of Mercy" in all the schools of that city and county.

A KIND FRIEND.

We are glad to receive on Jan. 26th, from a kind lady in Pennsylvania, large orders for nineteen different publications of our American Humane Education Society and M. S. P. C. A.; also a number of annual subscriptions for this paper; also a donation of \$10, that being the balance of remittance over the cost of the publications.

THE RELIGIOUS PRESS.

We are glad to know that the religious press is taking increased interest in our humane work. We have before us this morning a letter from the editor of one of our leading denominational monthlies, in which he says:—"Our Dumb Animals is one of the most interesting papers that comes to my desk, and I pray the Lord to bless you in the work in which you are engaged."

WISCONSIN STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

We are glad to receive a letter from A. J. Phillips, secretary of the above-named society, in which he states that although he subscribes for fifteen other newspapers he cannot get along without subscribing for ours. Mr. Phillips kindly adds, "I refer frequently in my talks about the State to your noble work."

WONDERFUL STORIES.

Our readers will not be surprised to know that some wonderful stories come to our table about animals.

For instance, one the other day represented that a horse, smelling the cooking of beefsteak, got out of the shafts of the carriage, walked up two flights of stairs, drove out the family, and ate the beefsteak.

THE AMERICAN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION, NEW YORK,

sends us an interesting anecdote in regard to our great President, Abraham Lincoln, which they have been sending to the Congregational Sunday-schools.

This is the story: "Abraham Lincoln was always courageous in following his convictions. An interesting incident of his early life is told by one of his biographers. When a schoolboy in Indiana he rescued a little dog that was being abused by his schoolmates, taking it up in his arms and carrying it to safety, facing the ridicule and the stones of his schoolmates. It is evident from this incident that even in his boyhood Abraham Lincoln was loyal to his convictions of right in the face of ridicule."

MAJOR-GENERAL LEONARD WOOD.

We find on our table this morning a fine picture of this gentleman with just the kind of a face that we should expect him to have. We do most earnestly wish that some party would nominate him for next President of the United States.
GEO. T. ANGELL.



Founders of American Band of Mercy.
GEO. T. ANGELL and REV. THOMAS TIMMINS.

Office of Parent American Band of Mercy.
GEO. T. ANGELL, President; JOSEPH L. STEVENS, Secretary.

Over forty-one thousand branches of the Parent American Band of Mercy have been formed, with probably over a million members.

PLEDGE.

"I will try to be kind to all harmless living creatures, and try to protect them from cruel usage."

Any Band of Mercy member who wishes can cross out the word *harmless* from his or her pledge. M. S. P. C. A. on our badges means "*Merciful Society Prevention of Cruelty to All.*"

We send *without cost*, to every person asking, a copy of "Band of Mercy Information" and other publications.

Also *without cost*, to every person who forms a "Band of Mercy," obtaining the signatures of thirty adults or children or both to the pledge, and sends us the name chosen for the "band" and the name and post-office address [town and state] of the president who has been duly elected:

1. Our monthly paper, "OUR DUMB ANIMALS," full of interesting stories and pictures, for one year.
2. Mr. Angell's Address to the High, Latin, Normal and Grammar Schools of Boston.
3. Copy of Band of Mercy Songs.
4. Twelve Lessons on Kindness to Animals, containing many anecdotes.
5. Eight Humane Leaflets, containing pictures and one hundred selected stories and poems.
6. For the President, an imitation gold badge.

The head officers of Juvenile Temperance Associations, and teachers and Sunday-school teachers, should be presidents of Bands of Mercy.

Nothing is required to be a member but to sign the pledge, or authorize it to be signed.

Any intelligent boy or girl fourteen years old can form a Band with no cost, and receive what we offer, as before stated.

The prices for badges, gold or silver imitation, are eight cents large, five cents small; ribbon, gold stamped, eight cents, ink printed, four cents; song and hymn books, with fifty-two songs and hymns, two cents; cards of membership, two cents; and membership book, eight cents. The "Twelve Lessons on Kindness to Animals" cost only two cents for the whole, bound together in one pamphlet. The Humane Leaflets cost twenty-five cents a hundred, or eight for five cents.

Everybody, old or young, who wants to do a kind act, to make the world happier and better, is invited to address, by letter or postal, GEO. T. ANGELL, Esq., President, 19 Milk Street, Boston, Mass., and receive full information.

Good Order of Exercises for Band of Mercy Meetings:

- 1.—Sing Band of Mercy song or hymn, and repeat the Pledge together. [See Melodies.]
- 2.—Remarks by President, and reading of Report of last meeting by Secretary.
- 3.—Readings, "Angell Prize Contest Recitations," "Memory Gems," and anecdotes of good and noble sayings and deeds done to both human and dumb creatures, with vocal and instrumental music.
- 4.—Sing Band of Mercy song or hymn.
- 5.—A brief address. Members may then tell what they have done to make human and dumb creatures happier and better.
- 6.—Enrollment of new members.
- 7.—Sing Band of Mercy song or hymn.

TO ADDRESS.

To address [as we do] through our little paper every month all the clergy [Protestant and Catholic] of Massachusetts, is no small audience, but when to these we add all the lawyers, physicians and various others, as seen on our last page, and to these all congressmen and the editors of every newspaper and magazine in America from Mexico to the North Pole, it will be seen that in using or rejecting thoughts sent us we have many things to consider which do not always suggest themselves to those who kindly write us.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

GOOD THING.

[From Salem (Mass.) News.]

A well known Marblehead motorman found a carrier pigeon in his yard recently. Seeing that the bird was in an exhausted condition he took it into the house, and, after giving it all it could eat, improvised a perch by putting a broom across between two chairs. Here the weary bird rested for three hours or more, and was then allowed to depart, the motorman having first fastened a note to one of its legs telling of the incident. A few days later the man was surprised to receive a postal from the bird's owner in Brockton, saying that it had arrived safely and thanking him for his very kind and humane act.

FROM A CHURCH.

It gives us pleasure to receive from the treasurer of one of our Boston churches a donation from the church of \$25, to aid in carrying on our humane work.

THE HORSE MARKETS ON TRAVERS AND CANAL STREETS.

Vice-President Hon. Henry B. Hill, who is chairman of our Committee on Officers and Prosecutions, finds from our records that during the past three months our agents have examined, mainly at these markets, more than 1600 horses which were brought there to be sold, of which number 84 were killed.

KIND TREATMENT OF HORSES IN BOSTON.

A life member of our Society writes us as follows:

"Riding in the cars the other day I met one of our most prominent and honored citizens, who called my attention to the great improvement in the treatment of horses in our streets. "Why," said he, "when I came to this city in 1844, if you



"DAISY."

[FROM THE ORIGINAL PHOTOGRAPH.]

We take the above picture from an interesting story written by Miranda Eliot Swan, and recently published by Noyes Brothers, No. 426 Washington Street, Boston, at the retail price of \$1.50, entitled, "Daisy: the Autobiography of a Cat." We think it will have a wide circle of interested readers among the many who are fond of cats.

went down a wharf the chances were you would see a teamster haul a stake out of his vehicle or take a crowbar and bang a horse over the body or perhaps give him a blow on the head, and if you interfered you only got a torrent of profanity, but to-day you may go over all the wharves in Boston and see nothing of the kind."

We are often told by visitors to our offices from many cities that in no city of the United States have they seen more kindness to horses than in Boston [in fact many of them say that in no other city have they ever seen so much kindness to horses as in Boston]. We attribute this:

- (1.) To the great efforts we have made to humanely educate the children in our public and parochial schools and through their fathers and mothers.
- (2.) To the earnest efforts of our very carefully selected agents.
- (3.) To the fact that for many years every Boston policeman has been *gratuitously supplied every month* with this paper [Our Dumb Animals], and all their police stations with bound volumes of our humane publications, in consequence of which they fre-

quently, by telephone or personally, report to us cases which seem to require attention, and the Police Commissioners have at various times given us much aid. Some time since one of our Police Commissioners said to Vice-President Hon. Henry B. Hill that in Boston we had on the whole better horses than in any other city in the United States. If this be true it is largely attributable to the kind aid the police have given us.

(4.) That for many years large numbers of our drivers, teamsters, etc. have been supplied each month gratuitously with this paper, and have been addressed by ourself and others employed by us—in one instance we had the pleasure of addressing about three thousand of them in our great Boston Theatre—every seat being filled.

(5.) Perhaps I ought to add the large gratuitous and other circulation of "Black Beauty" in Boston, of which our American Humane Education Society has printed and caused to be printed and sent out [as we now estimate] something over three millions of copies.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

WHY DON'T YOU?

Why don't you have a place, Mr. Angell, as they do in some cities, to kill thousands of cats with gas?

Answer. (1) We have found good homes for many cats and have temporarily cared for many others, either in Boston or at the Gifford Sheltering Home, but we do not like to kill good healthy cats simply because owners want to get rid of them. We try in all cases to consider what will be best for the cat.

(2) According to the best veterinary evidence we have been able to obtain, we do not think suffocation from poisonous gases is so merciful as killing, as our agents do, by chloroform, when practicable, or by cyanide of potassium, in regard to which the head of our Harvard Veterinary School says, "If a man wishing to commit suicide should take a dose at a druggist's counter he would drop dead before he could possibly reach the door."

Our Massachusetts Society P. C. A. has paid in the last year and a half over four hundred dollars for the feeding of homeless animals in Boston, mostly cats.

HIS BEST GIRL.

We find in the *New York Recorder* an interesting account of a travelling man who was seen by his companions to kiss a letter he had just received. They declared that it was not from his wife, and he finally admitted to them that it was from his best girl. After considerable badgering he consented to let them read it, and this was the letter:—

"My owen deer Pa Pa, I sa mi P Rairs every nite wen I kis yure Pictshure I Ask god to bless you good Bi Pa Pa yure best gurl.

DOLLY.

THE CRUELTY OF NOSEBAGS.

For a moment put yourself in the position of the horse forced to feed out of one of the ordinary nosebags. His head is encased in a close-fitting, wholly unventilated, foul and heavy attachment in the shape of a bag. Though his lips are very flexible and constructed so that his mouth may perform some of the functions of a man's hands in the matter of feeding, the horse cannot reach his food. He is compelled to toss the bag upwards so that the last of the feed may come within his reach.

In this way the grains of the feed get into his nostrils and cause him great annoyance. With his breathing hindered and his nostrils clogged with grain he is in far more agony than a horse that gets a dozen vicious cuts of the whip.—*Buffalo Horse World.*

ROCHESTER, NEW YORK.

We are glad to receive on February 15th a letter from Mr. J. S. Root, of Rochester, that he has been appointed superintendent of humane work in that city, and asking suggestions and assistance.

PET ANIMALS IN SCHOOLS.

The question of having pet animals in all our Boston public schools has recently attracted wide attention and discussion. At the request of the *Boston Herald* we wrote the following, which appeared in its issue of February 11th:

"Whether it is practicable to put into all our public schools, or any considerable part of them, animals as pets is a question upon which I think our school superintendent and supervisors are more competent to give reliable opinions than I am, but if it should be decided to put them into the schools, then the following important questions should be carefully considered:

(1) How to secure healthy animals of kind disposition?

(2) How they can be given proper outdoor air and exercise?

(3) How they can be properly taken care of nights and during all the hours and days when the schools are not in session?

(4) How they can be saved from the cruelty of over-feeding and over-handling, and always be kept clean and have plenty of fresh water?

(5) How they can be best protected from taking, and carrying to others, fleas and the germs of contagious and epidemic diseases, diphtheria, scarlet fever and others?

I know a highly educated young lady who was taken from a refined home to a small-pox hospital because she had been petting a dog which carried to her the germs of chicken-pox prevailing in the neighborhood, and which the doctors mistook for small-pox.

A great deal has been done in Boston to promote kindness to animals.

A few years ago, during sixty-one days I gave one hour addresses to all the high, normal, latin and grammar schools of our city. Since then I have succeeded in having compositions on the subject written by all our Boston grammar-school pupils and have distributed very large amounts of humane literature among the scholars and teachers, and in some of the schools have been formed "Bands of Mercy."

Our Massachusetts Society P. C. A. is now employing constantly a gentleman to organize "Bands of Mercy" outside of Boston and he has already organized them in every school in a hundred and sixty-seven Massachusetts cities and towns, and many of them are doing excellent work, and our American Humane Education Society has organized and caused to be organized over forty thousand of these "Bands" in every state and territory and British America, and many of them are doing splendid work. For instance, in Washington, D. C., nearly all the children of the city are in them and holding regular meetings.

In Kansas City, Missouri, between twenty and thirty thousand school children belong to them, and a committee of school principals appointed by the school superintendent has prepared a series of exercises and lessons to be used in all the "Bands." We furnish every "Band" formed with an outfit of literature, directions, etc. I think that these "Bands of Mercy" would be more useful than pet animals in our schools.

I am personally (as many of our citizens know) very fond of animals. We have

a cat at our offices which I would not like to sell for \$50, and another at our home which is not for sale at any price. But how far it is desirable to increase the present number of cats I am not prepared to say, as it now requires nearly the whole time of one of our agents and a large portion of the time of two others simply to relieve the sufferings of suffering cats.

I should be very sorry to have the number of caged birds increased either in schools or elsewhere, for I have seen too much of their sufferings from ignorance, forgetfulness and neglect.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

THE ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE.

Do you approve of the Animal Rescue League recently formed in Boston, Mr. Angell? *Certainly*; our Massachusetts Society P. C. A. gave them \$10 last year to help start it—and we have added to its list our name as a member.

Such Leagues are needed not only in Boston, but in Lowell, Lynn, Salem, Gloucester, Fall River, Worcester, Fitchburg, Springfield, and probably in cities of our large cities and towns. Not only that, but the immense work of our two humane societies in the formation of over 40,000 "Bands of Mercy" in all our states and territories, in British America and in various parts of the world, is stirring up such interest in the protection of animals as we hope may lead to the formation of over a thousand of these Rescue Leagues in a thousand cities and towns.

But will not these Leagues interfere with the prosperity of your large national and state societies which are carrying on this great educational and other work?

Answer.—No more than kindergarten schools interfere with the prosperity of Harvard University. On the contrary, I hope they will largely add to the power of our societies to increase the work in which we are engaged.

THE SPARROWS AGAIN.

In our February issue we told our regret that the kind words we had deemed it our duty to speak for the sparrow last spring had led two \$10 annual subscribers to our Mass. S. P. C. A. to determine never to give another dollar to aid the work of our Society.

We have received since then several donations from those who thought we only did our duty. But we now most deeply regret to receive a letter from one of our subscribers, who says that *because we spoke for the sparrows* he not only declines any further contributions, but also has decided not to give our Society, by his last will, a large sum which he proposed giving. This is bad news indeed, but we do not see how, as the president of a society whose duty it is to speak for the whole animal creation which cannot speak for itself, we could remain silent when in cold weather thousands of sparrows' nests were being destroyed.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

NEW ALBANY, INDIANA, Feb. 10th.

Enclosed is ten dollars to use as you think best for the animals. God bless your work.

FROM A FRIEND.

YANKEE DOODLE SONG FOR OUR AMERICAN BANDS OF MERCY.

[This song was written by members of "Black Horse Hill Band of Mercy," Winchester, Mass., and is sung by the Band with great success.]

YANKEE DOODLE AND HIS PONY.

Yankee Doodle came to town a' riding on a pony,
He let him walk most all the way because the road
was stony.

CHORUS.

Yankee Doodle, ha! ha! ha! Yankee Doodle Dandy
Loved his pony very much, it carried him so handy.

He rode him to the grocery store and bought some
macaroni;
Before he ate a single bite he gave some to the
pony.—CHORUS.

Yankee Doodle saw a man a' beating of his cattle;
He said, "If you don't stop that quick, we two will
have a battle."—CHORUS.

Yankee's throat was full of dust; his mouth was very
dry, sir;
Says he, "I'd like some water;" says the pony, "So
would I, sir."—CHORUS.

He rode him to the tavern door; out came the land-
lord's daughter;
Says he, "I'd like some lemonade, the pony he takes
water."—CHORUS.

*He rode him to the stable; says the stableman,
"Good day, sir;"
"Don't talk to me," says Yankee, "till my pony
gets some hay, sir."—CHORUS.

Yankee Doodle saw a girl a' pulling Kitty's tail;
He looked quite cross and said to her, "You ought
to go to jail."—CHORUS.

Yankee Doodle had a whip; the people said he'd
lose it;
"I shouldn't care for that," says he, "because I
never use it."—CHORUS.

Yankee Doodle lost his whip; they offered him a
spur, sir;
Says he, "That whip was bad enough, but this here
thing is worse."—CHORUS.

And when the sun was going down they took their
homeward way, sir;
Says he, "I reckon both of us have had a rattlin' day,
sir."—CHORUS.

He fed him well, he made his bed, he locked him in
the stable;
Says he, "That pony's good enough to eat with us at
table."—CHORUS.

Now when you get a pony-horse don't starve or
scold or beat him,
But do as Yankee Doodle did, for that's the way to
treat him.—CHORUS.

BARRE, MASS.

DEAR MR. ANGELL: January 15, 1900.
The enclosed story is so much in the line of your
blessed work that I am sure you will want it for
Our Dumb Animals. Truly yours,

(Rev.) A. F. BAILEY.

"Deacon Pliny Hall of Ithaca, N. Y., died on
December 31, 1899, in the 89th year of his age.

"The beginning of the end came in the presence of
his faithful servant of twelve years or more—his
horse John. On Friday evening, December 15th,
having unharnessed his horse, made its bed and
pulled its hay, Mr. Hall led the animal into the stall
and attempted to tie the halter, but his trembling
hands failed and he fell with a stroke of apoplexy.
Then ensued a touching scene which he himself told
his daughter an hour later. The horse sniffed and
nosed and gently touched him with its hoof, as if to
awaken and rouse him up. Mr. Hall, helpless in
limb, said: 'John, be a good horse, don't hurt me;
go out.' Thereupon the horse, though hungry for his
fodder, backed out of the stall and out of any danger
of striking his master, and paced the floor, making a
noise to attract attention. It was, perhaps, over
half an hour before Mr. Hall was missed, and the
horse, hungry and cold, kept out of the stall until
Mr. Hall's daughter, missing him, came to his relief."



A GUARD OF HONOR.

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A BOER COURTSHIP.

There is something comic in the way a Boer man-
ages his love-making, says an exchange. Having
asked the permission of his father to court a certain
damsel in the neighborhood he proceeds to buy the
most strikingly-decorated and loudly-colored saddle
cloth for his steed that he can possibly obtain.

Having made his preparations he mounts his most
spirited horse and journeys to the lady's home, but
instead of seeking out the object of his affections he
respectfully asks leave of her father to court her.
The old man cautiously refrains from answering, but
consults his wife, and the youth joins the younger
members of the household.

No further notice is taken of the suitor for the rest
of the day, but if the parents approve, when the rest
of the household retire for the night the mother
solemnly approaches the young man and maiden with
a long tallow candle in her hand. This she places on
the table and lights, and then, having taken an affec-
tionate farewell of the couple, she retires. This is a
sign to the lover that his suit is acceptable. As long
as the candle lasts the young couple are allowed to
sit up and talk.

A NATICK SCHOOL GIRL TO BE PROUD OF.

One day this week a group of school girls were
coming home from school when they heard harsh
words and hard blows. As they looked up they saw
a coal team heavily loaded, with a wheel in the gut-
ter, and the horse unable to move it. The driver,
with a quick stroke, was belaboring the poor beast
and using language that was not Scriptural nor classi-
cal. It made the girls afraid. One of them, however,
called out, "What is he whipping that poor horse
for? I'll see to it."

The angry driver sneeringly replied, "You'll see
to it."

The young girl was in no way daunted and replied,
"Yes, I'll see to it," and going round the curb to find
out the number of it, as well as the name of the firm,
continued, "And if you do not stop I'll report you
also." This quieted the cowardly fellow, and he
calmed down, put his shoulder to the wheel, coaxed
the horse, and got out of the gutter. And the girl
stayed there and saw the affair through and thought
no more about it. She is a credit to the town.

A HONOLULU HEROINE.

Helen Wilder, of Honolulu, is not a good person for
a horse beater to meet. For as sure as she sees an
act of cruelty she marches the offender off to the
police station and leaves him to the punishment of
the law.

Miss Wilder is one of the richest women in Hawaii.
But she does not lounge in her hammock and weave
garlands for her pretty head. Instead of that she is
up at dawn and galloping over the region that she
has made her beat. For she is a policeman and her
special care is the safety and comfort of helpless
children and dumb animals.

She is the champion of the weak; she rides like a
vaquero, and springs from her horse to cuddle and
croon over some sick or misused baby. By full
authority of the law she arrests any malefactor with-
out going to the trouble to secure a warrant and thus
delay the course of justice. A recent suit in the
Honolulu courts settled this matter conclusively.

She arrested a street car driver for beating his
mules. She had no warrant, and the defendant,
claiming that the arrest was illegal, demanded \$5,000
for injuries to his reputation.

After a long trial the jury decided in favor of Miss
Wilder, and the court authorized her to make arrests
whenever she thought proper.

Helen Wilder goes wherever her duty calls. If the
check-rein of the swiftest turnout in Honolulu is
drawn too tight she commands the driver to stop and
unfasten it. Fear she has never felt. Coolie, Jap,
Kanaka or white man, she arrests them all in spite of
threats. Let the drivers overload the buses or the
Waikiki trams pull out overloaded, and out come
her handcuffs. She will brook cruelty toward neither
children nor animals.—Chicago Journal.

[Miss Wilder is now the wife of Mr. Horace J. Crafts,
who a few years ago secured in Boston and vicinity
about seven thousand annual subscriptions for *Our
Dumb Animals*].

"I am not certain," said the father, "that my
daughter loves you sufficiently to warrant me in in-
trusting her to your keeping for life."

"Well," replied the young man, "perhaps you
haven't had the same advantages for observing things
that I have."

ANGELL PRIZE CONTESTS.

A splendid way to raise money in schools, churches, Sunday-schools, or elsewhere for any object preferred.

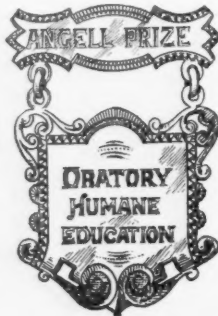
ANGELL PRIZE CONTESTS IN HUMANE SPEAKING.

We have beautiful sterling silver medals, of which this cut shows the size and face inscriptions.

On the back is inscribed, "*The American Humane Education Society.*"

We sell them at one dollar each, which is just what we pay for them by the hundred.

Each is in a box on red velvet, and we make no charge for postage when sent by mail.



The plan is this: Some large church or public hall is secured, several schools, Sunday schools, granges or other societies are invited to send their best speaker or reciter to compete for the prize medal; some prominent citizen presides; other prominent citizens act as the committee of award, and a small admission fee, ten or twenty cents, pays all the costs, and leaves a handsome balance for the local humane society or "Band of Mercy," or school or Sunday-school or church or library or any other object preferred.

"BLESSED ARE THE MERCIFUL."

We have in our principal office [in a large frame and conspicuous position] the names of those who have kindly remembered our two Societies in their wills.

When we get a building we intend to have them so engraved in it as to last through the centuries.

PRIZES \$675.

In behalf of *The Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals* I do hereby offer (1) **\$100** for evidence which shall enable the Society to convict any man in Massachusetts of cruelty in the practice of vivisection.

(2) **\$25** for evidence to convict of violating the recently-enacted law of Massachusetts against vivisections and dissections in our public schools.

(3) **\$100** for evidence to convict any member of the *Myopia, Hingham, Dedham, Harvard or Country Clubs*, of a criminal violation of law by causing his horse to be mutilated for life.

(4) **\$50** for evidence to convict anyone in Massachusetts of a violation of law by causing any horse to be mutilated for life by docking.

(5) Twenty prizes of **\$10** each, and forty prizes of **\$5** each, for evidence to convict of violating the laws of Massachusetts by killing any insect-eating bird or taking eggs from its nest.

GEO. T. ANGELL, President.

Our creed and the creed of our "*American Humane Education Society*," as appears on its battle-flags—its badges—and its official seal, is "*Glory to God*," "*Peace on Earth*," "*Kindness, Justice and Mercy to every living creature.*"

If there were no birds man could not live on the earth.

OUR PRIZE STORY PRICES.

Black Beauty in paper covers, 6 cents at office, or 10 cents mailed; cloth bound, 25 cents each at office, or 30 cents mailed.

Hollyhurst, Strike at Shane's, Four Months in New Hampshire, also *Mr. Angell's Autobiography*, in paper covers, 6 cents each at office, or 10 cents mailed; cloth bound, 20 cents each at office, or 25 cents mailed.

Some of New York's "400," in paper covers, 10 cents each.

For Pity's Sake, in paper covers, 10 cents each; cloth bound, 75 cents at office, or 80 cents mailed.

Beautiful Joe at publishers' price, 60 cents at office, or 72 cents mailed. Cheaper edition, 25 cents; mailed, 30 cents. Both editions cloth bound.

Postage stamps are acceptable for all remittances.

"NEW YORK'S 400."

"It should receive as wide a circulation as '*Black Beauty*.'"—*Boston Courier*.

"Charmingly told story. Its merits are many and its readers cannot be too numerous."—*Boston Ideas*.

"Extremely interesting. Will be laid down only with regret."—*Gloucester Breeze*.

"FOR PITY'S SAKE."

On the first day of issuing this book we had over a hundred orders for it, some of them for fifty and twenty-five copies.

"PITY'S SAKE" FOR GRATUITOUS DISTRIBUTION.

We acknowledge from various friends donations to aid us in the gratuitous distribution of this most valuable book, which everyone reads with pleasure, and having read wants everybody else to read.

To those who wish to buy it the price for our edition is ten cents, and Mrs. Carter's cloth-bound edition, for which the publisher's price is one dollar, we are permitted to sell at seventy-five cents, or post-paid eighty cents.

"*The Humane Horse Book*," compiled by George T. Angell, is a work which should be read by every man, woman and child in the country. Price, 5 cents.—*Boston Courier*.

Nations, like individuals, are powerful in the degree that they command the sympathies of their neighbors.

In hiring a herdic, coupe, or other carriage never forget to look at the horses and hire those that look the best and have no docked tails. When we take a herdic we pick out one drawn by a good horse, tell the driver not to hurry, but take it easy, and give him five or ten cents over his fare for being kind to his horse. We never ride behind a dock-tailed horse.

Send for prize essays published by *Our American Humane Education Society* on the best plan of settling the difficulties between capital and labor, and receive a copy without charge.

Always kill a wounded bird or other animal as soon as you can. All suffering of any creature, just before it dies, poisons the meat.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

Every kind word you say to a dumb animal or bird will make you happier.

SONGS OF HAPPY LIFE, &c.

For prices of Miss S. J. Eddy's new book, above named, and a variety of humane publications, address *Art and Natural Study Publishing Co.*, Providence, R. I.

One thing we must never forget, namely: that the infinitely most important work for us is the humane education of the millions who are soon to come on the stage of action.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

What do you consider, Mr. Angell, the most important work you do?

Answer. Talking each month to the editors of every newspaper and magazine in North America north of Mexico, who in their turn talk to probably over sixty millions of readers.

"Just so soon and so far as we pour into all our schools the songs, poems and literature of mercy towards these lower creatures, JUST SO SOON AND SO FAR SHALL WE REACH THE ROOTS NOT ONLY OF CRUELTY BUT OF CRIME." GEO. T. ANGELL.

Refuse to ride in any cab, herdic or carriage drawn by a docked horse, and tell the driver why.

FOR FREE DISTRIBUTION.

To those who will have them properly posted we send:

- (1.) Placards for the protection of birds.
- (2.) Placards for the protection of horses from docking and tight check-reins.

WHAT A DOCKED HORSE TELLS.

(1.) That the owner does not care one straw for the suffering of dumb animals.

(2.) That the owner does not care one straw for the good opinion of nine-tenths of his fellow-citizens who witness the effects of his cruelty.

Every unkind treatment to the cow poisons the milk—even talking unkindly to her.

Is it cruel to keep a horse locked up in a stable without exercise?

Answer: Just as cruel as it would be to keep a boy, or girl, or man, or woman in the same condition.

If to this is added solitary confinement without the company of other animals, then the cruelty is still greater.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

WORTH REMEMBERING.

(1.) Avoid so far as possible drinking any water which has been contaminated by lead pipes or lead lined tanks.

(2.) Avoid drinking water which has been run through galvanised iron pipes.

(3.) Avoid using anything acid which has been kept in a tin can.

(4.) When grippe or other epidemics are prevailing wear a little crude sulphur in your boots or shoes.

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS.

Hundreds of thousands of children can never be taught *directly* in our schools to love either their fathers or mothers, but they can be taught to be constantly saying kind words and doing kind acts to the lower creatures, and in this way may be made better, kinder and more merciful in all the relations of life.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

Don't kill your dog trying to make him run with your bicycle. Dogs were intended for no such purpose.

Always keep your dogs and cats nights where they will not disturb the sleep of your neighbors and so come in danger of being poisoned.

In moving don't forget your cat.

Massachusetts has the first law in the world prohibiting vivisection in the schools.

In behalf of "The Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals" I offer *One Thousand Dollars* for evidence to convict ten persons in Massachusetts of violation of our State law by *cruel vivisection*—namely, *One Hundred Dollars* for evidence in each case.

"Blessed are the merciful."

GEO. T. ANGELL, President.

ON VIVISECTION.

We see by an article in the *Boston Transcript* of Jan. 27 that the late Dr. William A. Hammond, formerly Surgeon-General of the United States Army, said that the bill now before Congress for the limiting of vivisection is admirable, as it protects both animal and human lives, and is all that any reasonable person can ask, whether vivisectionists or anti-vivisectionists.

VIVISECTION.

Prof. James E. Garretson, M. D., (the late) Senior Professor of Surgery Medico-Chirurgical College, Philadelphia:

"I am without words to express my horror of vivisection, though I have been a teacher of anatomy and surgery for thirty years. It serves no purpose that is not better served after other manners."

Forbes Winslow, D. C. L. Oxon, M. R. C. P., London, Physician to the British Hospital for Mental Diseases; Physician to North London Hospital for Consumption, etc.:

"In my opinion, vivisection has opened up no new views for the treatment and cure of diseases. It is most unjustifiable and cruel, and in no way advances medical science. I have probably more experience than many experimenters who have given their opinions to the world as based on what they have done, and I beg leave to express my utter disbelief in the usefulness of such experiments, and to discredit their being followed by any good results to mankind or to science in general."

(From the Editor of the *Pittsburg Index*.)

"I jumped for your paper to-day when it came. I send you our last issue. God bless you and your work."

HUMANE EDUCATION IN OUR COUNTRY.

We are having constant calls upon us for literature and other help to carry humane education and "Bands of Mercy" into the public schools of many of our States and Territories, and are sorry to be compelled to say in reply to many of them that during the last year and a half our American Humane Education Society has been compelled to expend about \$5,000 more than its receipts. There is no one thing more needed in our country to-day than this humane education, and it is a subject of profound regret that we are obliged to refuse any of these applications.



SOLD TO BE SENT TO THE WAR.

FROM ONE OF OUR COUNTRY'S LEADING HUMANE WORKERS.

OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, Feb., 1900.

DEAR MR. ANGELL,—I want to thank you for your strong words for peace—the peace that exemplifies the brotherhood of humanity and the fatherhood of God. Our glad greetings go out to you and our prayers for you and your work in this good year of grace nineteen hundred.

KIND LETTERS.

We receive not a few letters similar to one before us this morning, from one of our largest contributors, closing: "May God spare your life many, many years." We wonder how many such letters our leading politicians receive annually. We suspect that many of their correspondents, if they expressed their true wish, would say, "May God remove you before long to make way for us."

A LIFE SAVER.

HELD LITTLE BOY ABOVE WATER UNTIL ASSISTANCE CAME.

HANOVER, PA.—The large pet dog of Charles Hagerman, of Irishtown, Adams county, saved the life of his 3-year-old son in a singular manner while at play in the yard. The child had a chain fastened around his body, the other end was attached to the neck of the dog. They were wandering about when the boy accidentally fell into the cistern, which contained several feet of water.

He would have drowned but the dog remained above and bracing itself, pulled on the chain with sufficient force to hold the little boy's head above water. The pitiful cries of the youngster were heard by a young woman residing with the family, who hastened to the scene and rescued the boy from his perilous position.

HOME, SWEET HOME.

We may or may not have related in *Our Dumb Animals* the story of the young man who went to serenade the Quaker's daughter, but by mistake got under the wrong window and serenaded the Quaker. After singing several love ditties, he sang "Home, Sweet Home," when the old gentleman rising from his bed went to the window and said: "Young man, if thee hast a home and a sweet home, as thee sayest, why don't thee go home?"

We think the thousands of British soldiers now suffering in this terrible South African war, who have homes in England, would be glad to go home.

TWO BOYS SAVED FROM DROWNING.

One of the familiar sights of the Bath Beach water front is Rex, a big full-bred St. Bernard dog owned by Jackson L. Quinn, a well-to-do resident of that district living on Bay Sixth street. The dog is always with his young master, Edward, the son of Mr. Quinn. While the dog has been a general favorite of Bath Beach residents, he is even more so now, for yesterday afternoon he rescued Edward from drowning, and also saved the life of Charles Goodwin, an eleven-year-old chum, while the boys were in bathing.

Both the youngsters, accompanied by the dog, went down to the end of Bay Fifth street, and donning their bathing suits went in swimming. The dog remained on shore, but kept watch over the boys. A heavy swell was on, and before the boys realized their danger they were in deep water. Neither boy could swim, and there was no one near to help them.

They were drowning when the dog swam out, reaching his young master first, caught him by the back of his bathing suit and brought him ashore. Then, rushing into the water again, he swam ashore with the Goodwin boy, placing him beside Eddie.

The boys, while considerably fatigued and frightened, soon recovered, and changing their clothes went to Mr. Quinn's house, where the rescue was told in detail.

Mr. Quinn refused an offer of \$250 for the dog a few days ago from a dog fancier, but now there is not enough money in the land to buy Rex.

THE BOSTON SPORTSMEN'S SHOW.

To the Editor of the Transcript:

I would ask for a brief space in your columns in which to make a suggestion regarding the "Sportsmen's Show," soon to be held in this city. Will not the real zest of the hunter's life there represented be somewhat dulled by the comparatively mild exhibition which I understand will be presented? Scenery, games, dancing and animals in a state of comparative comfort are all very well, it is true; but should not the senses be stimulated and the blood quickened by more life-like representations? For instance, there should be truthfully exhibited (if not by living animals at least by life-like models) the shooting, the trapping and the chase. We should see the stag at bay, fighting for life, with the dogs hanging to his throat; the fox and the hare, with tongue protruding, chased for miles by men, women and dogs; the wounded bird, creeping painfully through the thicket; the decoys; the shooting of the animals as they come at night to slake their thirst; the gentle doe, mutilated and bleeding, now rushing wildly through the forest, now with the knife at her throat; the helpless fawn, the bear cubs, the heron nestlings, starving in their retreats; the trap in the lonely forest, now holding some gaunt animal which for days has had neither food nor drink, now holding just a bloody paw where the former captive has gnawed its way to freedom.

All this, Mr. Editor, I would have portrayed at the "Sportsmen's Show" as representing the grand reality. Why should it be so mild and bloodless an affair as intended, when, by a little effort, the sportsman could be made to live again the scenes of his triumph and his joy?

J. M. GREENE,

In Boston Evening Transcript, Feb. 9.

HAVE WE SAVAGES?

The writer was in company one day last summer with a gentleman (?) who related his experience while on a hunting trip in the northern part of Maine, when he succeeded in shooting a deer. The shot severed the spinal cord, rendering its hind quarters entirely helpless, and as the poor creature pawed the air in its agony and fright its slayer wished he had had a camera, *it would have made such a grand picture.* I thought to myself, "Are there not savages still in our midst?" Let us hope they will some time become civilized and christianized.

SAVED THE DEER.

(From International Good Templar.)

I formerly lived in northern New York for several years, and deer were very plentiful. I owned a saw-mill, and a few feet below my mill there was a starch factory. There was a glade which was kept from freezing by the swift current of water from under the mills. One day in mid-winter a pack of dogs drove a young deer down to the river; the deer saw this open water and jumped in. The current was so swift the dogs did not dare to follow, but stood upon the ice and continued their barking until they drew the attention of the operatives in the mill and factory, who rushed out to rescue the deer. The dogs were driven away and Mr. Alger, the owner of the factory, soon had the deer in a place of safety. The deer was fed on hay and oats and showed no signs of wanting to escape, but seemed as contented and quiet as a pet lamb. Two days after the deer was rescued it seemed so tame that Mr. Alger let it follow him into the main room of the factory, where it had more room for exercise. All went well for awhile, until one day a man, followed by a dog, came to the factory. As soon as the deer saw the dog it jumped through a window and the dog followed after, the deer running at once to the open water. I chanced to be in the mill-yard between the mill and the factory and saw the flight of the deer. I picked up a club, ran down and drove the dog away, and as soon as the dog was out of sight the deer came to my side. The dog came back again and I kept driving him away. The deer kept on the opposite side of me from the dog until we reached a place of safety.

The owner of the dog came out before I got the deer in a safe place and wanted me to let his dog alone,

but I told him the laws of the State prohibited the killing of deer at that season of the year and that I was a loyal citizen.

T. S. NASH.

THE PRINCE AND THE BEGGARS.

BY DOROTHY DEANE.

Like a prince in an old-time story
He sits at his palace gate;
About him bent and hoary
The ragged mendicants wait.
The prince is a dashing fellow,
Wears velvet and cloth of gold,
A tunic and cap of yellow;
Rags shelter them from the cold.

He quaffs from a crystal chalice,
They stoop to the wayside spring;
He dwells in a lordly palace,
They hide beneath Winter's wing.
They covet his royal splendor,
His ease and his tunic gay;
The bars of his cage are slender,
They think him as free as they.

Then I open the study shutter,
And scatter their daily bread,
They come with a rush and flutter,
Where the bountiful feast is spread.
For the prince in my yellow canary,
The beggars, so gay and free,
Are only the sparrows wary,
That live in the old elm tree.

My little gold-bird is a poet,
He pipes me a roundelay;
A captive—he does not know it,
And sings in a blithesome way.
But at times in his prison narrow,
He wishes that he might be
A gay little beggar sparrow,
Out in the old elm tree.

ADULTERATED FOODS.

We see in *The New York Commonwealth* that U. S. Senator Mason, of the Senate Committee, which has been gathering evidence in regard to our adulterated foods, says that the United States is the only country that does not protect the consumers of food products and that the amount of adulteration carried on in this country is simply appalling—thousands of tons of white earth have been used by dishonest millers to mix with flour—jellies, jams, etc., are generally made of glucose and contain dangerous acids—poisonous preservatives are used in much of the beer, ale, and other articles, etc., etc. This corresponds with facts we gathered years ago and sent out widely over our country, as the readers of our Autobiographical Sketches already know.

It seems to us that in many of our larger towns good women might do a profitable business in preparing for sale jellies, jams and other food products in regard to the purity and healthfulness of which there could be no doubt.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

OUR LETTERS.

A single mail has sometimes brought us about two hundred exchange newspapers and magazines, and over two hundred letters, and it would surprise some of our readers to look over an inventory of the requests made in some of these letters; for instance, one this morning encloses five cents to aid our work and wants us to go to Washington and get two acts of Congress passed.

Some time since we had a request to have the bells taken off all our electric cars because they made too much noise, and another to have it so arranged that no electric road should cross any Boston street on grade.

If we had as much power as these writers seem kindly disposed to give us, we would stop in about 24 hours the wars now raging and have all the war-vessels now employed in them sent loaded down with provisions for the starving millions of India.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

No convicts in our prisons deserve greater punishment than the men who get up and keep up unnecessary wars.

KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI.

We are glad to receive from Mrs. Mackenzie Walker, chairman of the "Band of Mercy" committee of the principals of the Kansas City schools [appointed by the superintendent], in which she states that there are upwards of 20,000 children in the Kansas City "Bands of Mercy," and that the committee have prepared for use in all these "Bands" the following lessons and exercises:

FIRST AND SECOND GRADES.

First—How can school children practice the Band of Mercy pledge?

Second—Domestic animals and birds—stories and talks.

Topics for talks by teacher and children: (1) How can a boy or a girl make mother happy (a) while at home? (b) while at school? (2) The house dog. (3) Our cat. (4) Birds in winter. (5) Birds and their babies.

THIRD GRADE.

First—In what way should the homes of Bands of Mercy members be affected by its teachings?

Second—Characteristics of the dog and occupations dogs follow.

Topics suggested for discussion and composition: (a) Stories illustrating the bravery, faithfulness, etc., of the dog. (b) The kind of home and master a dog likes. (c) A day in the life of various dogs, such as one owned by a butcher, a hunter, a farmer, a street Arab, a Band of Mercy boy, etc.

Third—The cat; characteristics and treatment.

Topics suggested for discussion and composition: (a) Stories of famous cats. (b) The life of a cat who has a happy home. (c) A day in the life of an unhappy cat. (d) How to care for the cat.

FOURTH GRADE.

First—Suggest ways in which Band of Mercy members can practice their pledge at home and abroad.

Second—The horse. (a) Services rendered. (b) Abuses suffered.

Topics suggested for discussion and composition: The subjects of (1) overloading and underfeeding; (2) the cruelty of high checking and docking; (3) the utility and humanity of clipping blinders; (4) the life of various horses, such as those of a carter, a cavalryman, a farmer, a fashionable woman, etc.

Third—Review of Black Beauty.

FIFTH GRADE.

First—What constitutes kindness to each other and to humanity?

Second—Compare methods in which animals are treated in various countries.

Topics suggested for discussion and composition: Dogs on the continent of Europe; bulls in Spain; foxes in England, etc.

Third—Birds and feather ornaments.

Topics suggested for discussion and composition: (1) How birds serve mankind; (2) how bird trimmings are obtained; (3) the wisdom and utility of using birds for millinery purposes.

SIXTH GRADE.

First—What effect has the application of the Band of Mercy principles of "Kindness, Justice and Mercy to All?" (a) upon our state institutions; (b) upon laws relating to the protection of animals.

Topics suggested for discussion and composition: (1) Schools for the blind and deaf mutes; (2) reform schools and penitentiaries; (3) insane asylums and homes for children; (4) to what extent is cruelty to animals now punishable by law?

SEVENTH GRADE.

Trace the workings of the Band of Mercy principles of "Kindness, Justice and Mercy to All," in the community, the nation and other nations.

First—In charities, hospitals, shelters, homes, etc.

Second—In prison reform, Red Cross Association, peace commission.

Third—In the development of humane relations between nations, as evinced by the improved treatment of prisoners of war.

Topics suggested for composition work in the high schools. The benefits of humane education: (1) To the individual; (2) to the home; (3) to the school; (4) to the community; (5) to the state; (6) to the lower creation.

Also list of lessons in the school readers which will be found helpful in Band of Mercy work. On kindness to each other: birds; fowls; other animals.

Mrs. Whitney, the librarian, has also prepared a long list of interesting supplementary readers for the Bands of Mercy.

WHAT IS THE OBJECT OF THE BANDS OF MERCY?

I answer: To teach and lead every

child and older person to seize every opportunity to say a kind word or do a kind act that will

make some other human being or some dumb creature happier.

GEO. T. ANGELL.

New Bands of Mercy.

39939 San Francisco, Cal. Sherman Primary School. No. 5 Band. P., Miss E. H. Lyons.	39989 Danville, Ill. High School. No. 1 Band. P., L. H. Griffith.	40041 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Snyder.	40092 Bluebird, Minn. Sunshine Band. P., Nora Federly.	40142 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Noble.
39940 No. 6 Band. P., Miss J. T. McLerie.	39990 No. 2 Band. P., Mrs. Allhands.	40042 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Markley.	40093 Danville, Ill. Collett Building. No. 1 Band.	40143 No. 7 Band. P., Miss Griffith.
39941 No. 7 Band. P., Miss L. W. Colton.	39991 No. 3 Band. P., B. D. Billingshurst.	40043 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Burton.	40094 No. 2 Band. P., F. P. Burchit.	40144 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Chesholm.
39942 No. 8 Band. P., Miss S. A. Denis.	39992 No. 4 Band. P., Mary D. Hawkins.	40044 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Daniels.	40095 No. 3 Band. P., E. H. Cosat.	40145 North East School. No. 1 Band.
39943 Monroe Pr. School. No. 1 Band. P., Miss J. A. Macauley.	39993 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Tupper.	40045 No. 7 Band. P., Miss Moore.	40096 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Atherton.	40146 No. 2 Band. P., Anna E. Albright.
39944 No. 2 Band. P., Miss M. R. McLay.	39994 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Nydegger.	40046 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Gohn.	40097 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Wakely.	40147 No. 3 Band. P., Miss McCann.
39945 No. 3 Band. P., Miss E. B. Murray.	39995 No. 7 Band. P., C. E. Osborn.	40047 No. 9 Band. P., Miss Hooton.	40098 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Coton.	40148 Carrollton, Ohio. Jr. C. E. Band.
39946 No. 4 Band. P., Miss C. R. Herrick.	39996 No. 8 Band. P., Edna Hays.	40048 No. 10 Band. P., Miss Hurst.	40099 No. 7 Band. P., Miss Sherman.	40149 Vandercook, Ill. Christmas Band.
39947 No. 5 Band. P., Miss H. Carr.	39997 No. 9 Band. P., Miss Parker.	40049 No. 11 Band. P., Miss Moore.	40100 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Roberts.	40150 Worcester, Mass. Worcester Boys' Club Band.
39948 No. 6 Band. P., Miss L. Ellis.	39998 No. 10 Band. P., J. L. Odde.	40050 Grant School. No. 1 Band. P., Laura Wall.	40101 Fairchild St. Building. No. 1 Band. P., J. H. Stambaugh.	40151 Massillon, Ohio. Massillon Band.
39949 No. 7 Band. P., Miss J. Fleming.	39999 No. 11 Band. P., Miss McCall.	40051 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Suffield.	40102 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Vance.	40152 Carney, Mich. Carney Grammar School Band.
39950 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Annie Hagarty.	40000 Washington School. No. 1 Band. P., Eva Sherman.	40052 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Johns.	40103 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Burgess.	40153 Montgomery Center, Vt. Mercy Band.
39951 Sheridan Pr. School. No. 1 Band. P., Miss J. Downey.	40001 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Moore.	40053 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Hawes.	40104 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Borland.	40154 Denver, Colo. Golden Rule Band.
39952 No. 2 Band. P., Miss E. Everett.	40002 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Webber.	40054 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Dale.	40105 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Westcott.	40155 San Francisco, Cal. Bernard Primary School. No. 1 Band.
39953 No. 3 Band. P., Miss E. Manning.	40003 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Dillon.	40055 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Kelley.	40106 St. Patrick's School. No. 1 Band. P., Sister Amatee.	40156 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Pauline Dwor- zsek.
39954 No. 4 Band. P., Miss B. Busteed.	40004 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Huffman.	40056 No. 7 Band. P., Miss Hayes.	40107 No. 2 Band. P., Sister No. 1.	40157 No. 3 Band. P., Mrs. S. F. Laven.
39955 No. 5 Band. P., Mrs. S. A. Miles.	40005 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Lewis.	40057 Dacey, Neb. Buffman Band. P., Edward Fain.	40108 No. 3 Band. P., Sister No. 2.	40158 No. 4 Band. P., Mrs. H. Melrose.
39956 No. 6 Band. P., Miss M. E. Hawley.	40006 No. 7 Band. P., Miss Lesch.	40058 Montague, Mass. John Burroughs Band. P., Miss Nellie Fitzgerald.	40109 No. 4 Band. P., Sister No. 3.	40159 No. 5 Band. P., Miss K. McGivern.
39957 No. 7 Band. P., Miss H. Brignardelle.	40007 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Buchele.	40059 Landseer Band. P., Catherine Farwell.	40110 No. 5 Band. P., Sister No. 4.	40160 No. 6 Band. P., Miss J. M. Neppert.
39958 No. 8 Band. P., Miss M. D. Tanforan.	40008 No. 9 Band. P., Miss Payne.	40060 Rosa Bonheur Band. P., Wallace Marston.	40111 No. 6 Band. P., Sister No. 5.	40161 No. 7 Band. P., Miss L. E. Neppert.
39959 Urbana, Ill. Thurnburn School. No. 1 Band. P., J. W. Hays.	40009 No. 10 Band. P., Miss Everett.	40061 Memory Band. P., Nellie Rist.	40112 German Lutheran School. No. 1 Band. P., O. Kathain.	40162 No. 8 Band. P., Miss S. S. Simpson.
39960 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Conaway.	40010 No. 11 Band. P., Miss Blaisdell.	40062 Dewey Band. P., Catherine Diggin.	40113 No. 2 Band. P., C. W. Treltin.	40163 No. 9 Band. P., Miss H. L. Woolf.
39961 No. 3 Band. P., J. G. Masier.	40011 No. 12 Band. P., Miss Lewis.	40063 Clara Barton Band. P., Mrs. P. M. Lacasse.	40114 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Marteur.	40164 No. 10 Band. P., Miss A. E. Schendel.
39962 No. 4 Band. P., F. D. Bowditch.	40012 No. 13 Band. P., Miss Emery.	40064 Lincoln Band. P., M. Gertrude Carney.	40115 Champaign, Ill. High School. No. 1 Band.	40165 Lowell High School. No. 1 Band.
39963 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Leal.	40013 No. 14 Band. P., Della Lewis.	40065 Hiawatha Band. P., B. S. Reynolds.	40116 No. 2 Band. P., Charles L. Moore.	40166 No. 2 Band. P., Miss F. Hodgkinson.
39964 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Sim.	40014 Lincoln School. No. 1 Band. P., M. L. Flannigan.	40066 Holmes Band. P., Jane E. Monahan.	40117 No. 3 Band. P., Addie Hughston.	40167 No. 3 Band. P., Miss S. M. Kingsbury.
39965 No. 7 Band. P., M. W. Moore.	40015 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Green.	40067 Longfellow Band. P., Clarie C. Ball.	40118 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Switzer.	40168 No. 4 Band. P., Mr. A. E. Kellogg.
39966 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Gaskell.	40016 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Mize.	40068 Whittier Band. P., Lola A. Ross.	40119 No. 5 Band. P., V. L. Huey.	40169 No. 5 Band. P., Mr. C. M. Walker.
39967 No. 9 Band. P., Miss Duncon.	40017 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Smith.	40069 Agassiz Band. P., M. Frances Murphy.	40120 No. 6 Band. P., J. E. Readheimer.	40170 No. 6 Band. P., Mr. F. R. Kelly.
39968 No. 10 Band. P., Mrs. Julian.	40018 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Dougherty.	40070 Turner Band. P., Mary E. Moreau.	40121 No. 7 Band. P., A. V. Millox.	40171 No. 7 Band. P., Mr. F. H. Clark.
39969 3d Ward School. No. 1 Band. P., B. G. Iams.	40019 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Jeffries.	40071 Aster Band. P., M. E. Burke.	40122 No. 8 Band. P., Minnie Morris.	40172 No. 8 Band. P., Mr. J. S. Crittenden.
39970 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Showers.	40020 No. 7 Band. P., J. A. Hardenbrook.	40072 Robinson Crusoe Band. P., K. B. Pefferle.	40123 No. 9 Band. P., Miss McClain.	40173 No. 9 Band. P., Miss M. M. Cox.
39971 No. 3 Band. P., Miss McCoy.	40021 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Partlow.	40073 Little Red Riding Hood Band. P., Lillian Thomas.	40124 No. 10 Band. P., Miss Crissey.	40174 Sunnyside Pr. School. No. 1 Band.
39972 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Taylor.	40022 Franklin School. No. 1 Band. P., James R. Forden.	40074 Kindness Band. P., Marian B. Atherton.	40125 Avenue School. No. 1 Band.	40175 No. 2 Band. P., Miss C. F. Riordan.
39973 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Glasco.	40023 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Benedict.	40075 Sunbeam Band. P., S. B. Diggins.	40126 No. 2 Band. P., May Collier.	40176 No. 3 Band. P., Miss D. A. Doud.
39974 No. 6 Band. P., Mrs. Crain.	40024 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Johnson.	40076 Excelsior Band. P., Belle W. Kline.	40127 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Jayne.	40177 No. 4 Band. P., Miss M. Browne.
39975 No. 7 Band. P., Miss Busey.	40025 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Zerse.	40077 Ray, White and Blue Band. P., May Lauman.	40128 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Ricketts.	40178 Grand Primary School. No. 1 Band.
39976 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Lloyd.	40026 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Myers.	40078 Loyal Royal Band. P., N. S. Field.	40129 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Wright.	40179 No. 2 Band. P., Mrs. F. Haynes.
39977 No. 9 Band. P., Miss Curson.	40027 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Grant.	40079 Lord Faulteroy Band. P., Effie W. Moffat.	40130 No. 6 Band. P., Miss McWilliams.	40180 No. 3 Band. P., Miss B. Kincaid.
39978 No. 10 Band. P., Miss Slunck.	40028 No. 7 Band. P., Miss Mann.	40080 Golden Rod Band. P., Delia A. Pease.	40131 No. 7 Band. P., Miss Bodine.	40181 No. 4 Band. P., Miss S. G. Burnell.
39979 4th Ward School. No. 1 Band. P., John L. Hissong.	40029 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Berry.	40081 Violet Band. P., H. O. Wyman.	40132 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Zilby.	40182 No. 5 Band. P., Miss N. E. Ewing.
39980 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Hess.	40030 No. 9 Band. P., Miss Tuttle.	40082 Pansy Band. P., A. O. Batson.	40133 State St. School. No. 1 Band.	40183 No. 6 Band. P., Miss A. B. Crookson.
39981 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Fenner.	40031 Jackson School. No. 1 Band. P., L. M. Erickson.	40083 Rose Band. P., Josephine Briggs.	40134 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Spaulding.	40184 No. 7 Band. P., Miss I. M. Roberts.
39982 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Lemon.	40032 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Bissell.	40084 Golden Star Band. P., Margaret O'Keefe.	40135 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Collier.	40185 No. 8 Band. P., Miss A. B. Campbell.
39983 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Marquette.	40033 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Griffin.	40085 Protection Band. P., Mary Shea.	40136 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Hammers.	40186 Winfield Scott Pr. School. No. 1 Band.
39984 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Sidner.	40034 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Haggard.	40086 Thoreau Band. P., Myra L. Dudley.	40137 East Side School. No. 1 Band.	40187 No. 2 Band. P., Mrs. E. S. Code.
39985 2d Ward School. No. 1 Band. P., George O. Gordon.	40035 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Admiral.	40087 Lend-a-Hand Band. P., Harriet Goddard.	40138 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Treake.	40188 No. 3 Band. P., Miss M. K. Gavigan.
39986 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Vandemere.	40036 No. 6 Band. P., Miss Bridges.	40088 San Diego, Cal. Children's Club Star Band No. 1.	40139 No. 3 Band. P., Miss Rhoads.	
39987 No. 3 Band. P., Miss McClain.	40037 No. 7 Band. P., Miss McIntosh.	40089 Hunter, N. D. Star Band. P., Anna M. Peterson.	40140 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Meeneely.	
39988 No. 4 Band. P., Miss Barr.	40038 No. 8 Band. P., Miss Vance.	40090 Stromsburg, Neb. Stromsburg Band. P., Josephine Frawley.	40141 No. 5 Band. P., Miss Tinsley.	
	40039 Douglas School. No. 1 Band. P., J. H. Gardener.	40091 Vulcan, Mich. Star of Dickinson County Band. P., Lillie Reath.		
	40040 No. 2 Band. P., Miss Good.			

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P., Miss M. E. Michener.
40190 South End Fr. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss Ida E. Coles.
40191 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss E. J. McGreevy.
40192 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss E. M. Gilmore.
40193 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss A. E. Johnson.
40194 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss J. Gillespie.
40195 West End Fr. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss E. L. McCarthy.
40196 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss A. O'Connor.
40197 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss N. Dwyer.
40198 Suro Primary School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss L. V. Conway.
40199 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss M. A. Burnett.
40200 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss S. Gumaer.
40201 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss M. L. Folsom.
40202 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss J. O'Brien.
40203 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss H. E. Maguire.
40204 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss M. Wagner.
40205 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss A. B. Horton.
40206 Ocean House Fr. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Mr. Daniel J. Delay.
40207 Coshocton, Ohio.
Coshocton W. C. T. U.
Band.
P., Charlotte McCall.
40208 Richmond, Va.
St. Johns Band.
P., Mrs. Lucy F. Murray.
40209 Tender Hearted Band.
P., Mrs. Lucy F. Murray.
40210 Ottawa, Ont.
Centretown Band.
P., Pollie White.
40211 St. Joseph, Mo.
St. Joseph Band.
P., Dr. Kate L. Hickox.
40212 Hopedale, Mass.
Angell Band.
P., M. Huse.
40213 Lincoln Band.
P., Elizabeth M. Eaton.
40214 Washington Band.
P., J. Angelina Smith.
40215 Silver Star Band.
P., M. L. Storrs.
40216 Golden Star Band.
P., G. G. Bartlett.
40217 Uxbridge, Mass.
Washington Band.
P., Nora M. Dunleavy.
40218 Rosa Bonheur Band.
P., Alice T. Slater.
40219 Chambered Nautalus Bd.
P., Viola B. Heven.
40220 Children's Hour Band.
P., Nellie L. Kennedy.
40221 Androcres Band.
P., Joanna Roache.
40222 Walter Scott Band.
P., Bernice E. McGloin.
40223 Tip Top Band.
P., M. J. Dunnevy.
40224 Morning Star Band.
P., Isabelle Spaulding.
40225 Evening Star Band.
P., Ellen S. White.
40226 Oakham, Mass.
Washington Band.
P., Mrs. Sibley Woodis.
40227 Green Valley Band.
P., Minnie M. Mellen.
40228 Lincoln Band.
P., Florence Bothwell.
40229 Florence Nightingale Bd.
P., Lillian S. Harrington.
40230 Excelsior Band.
P., Eva Stone.
40231 Rockland, Maine.
Loyal Band.
P., Master Arthur Witham.
40232 New York City, N. Y.
Wordsworth Band.
P., Philip W. Gold.
40233 Eckington, D. C.
Eckington Public School.
P., Miss A. A. Chesney.
40234 Eckington Humane Band.
P., Miss Grace M. Parker.
40235 Helping Hands Band.
P., Miss I. E. Kehr.
40236 Columbus Band.
P., Miss Gertrude Davis.
40237 Junior Protectors Band.
P., Miss May Cameron.
40238 White Star Band.
P., Miss Margaret Carmody.
40239 Golden Rule Band.
P., Miss B. E. Parsons.
40240 Loving Workers Band.
P., Miss Ruth Fletcher.
40241 Robin Band.
P., Miss Etta Mathews.
40242 Sunshine Band.
P., Miss Alberta Denison.
40243 Washington, D. C.
Little Workers Band.
P., Lily S. Gerry.
40244 Geneva, N. Y.
Grace Gannett Band.
P., Miss Genevieve Youngs.
40245 New Watcom, Wash.
Junior League Band.
P., Miss Irene E. Selby.
40246 Potomac City, Md.
Willing Workers Band.
P., Mr. Stewart Shaw.
40247 Macon, Ga.
Ballard Normal Inst. Bd.
P., Kate E. Our.
40248 Boston, Mass.
Dwight Band No. 2.
P., Frances J. White.
40249 Kansas City, Mo.
Happy Helpers Band.
P., Harold Roberts.
40250 Kearney, Neb.
Helping Hand Band.
P., Nellie Mear.
40251 Marinette, Wis.
Menekauke School Band.
P., Hannah Motley.
40252 Kansas City, Mo.
Ambitious Ants Band.
P., M. D. Sanford.
40253 Hermansville, Mich.
Hermansville Band.
P., Harold Earle.
40254 Washington, D. C.
Towers Public School.
Landeer Band.
P., Miss N. M. Mack.
40255 Rosa Bonheur Band.
P., Miss A. E. Hopkins.
40256 Now and Always Band.
P., Miss Emogene Bear.
40257 Shepherd Band.
P., Miss Hope E. Hopkins.
40258 Plead for Kindness Band.
P., Miss Mary L. Stephens.
40259 Golden Rule Band.
P., Miss Catharine W. Koonz.
40260 Forget-me-not Band.
P., Miss Sadie Yoeckle.
40261 Kind Hearts Band.
P., Miss Maud Burbank.
40262 Sunshine Band.
P., Miss May Weide.
40263 Kindness Band.
P., Miss Catharine Bohrer.
40264 Maury Public School.
Maury Protection Band.
P., Miss M. G. Kelly.
40265 Mercy Volunteers Band.
P., Miss Mary Packard.
40266 Buds of Hope Band.
P., Miss Margaret E. Forbes.
40267 Golden Rule Band.
P., Miss Margaret Wasney.
40268 Willing Hands Band.
P., Miss Eleanore Simonds.
40269 Beautiful Joe Band.
P., Miss Louise Randall.
40270 Sunshine Band.
P., Miss Wilma Willenbacher.
40271 Robin Red Breast Band.
P., Miss Louise Underwood.
40272 Sunbeams Band.
P., Miss L. McNally.
40273 Little Helpers Band.
P., Miss Minnie Meyers.
40274 Bangor, Me.
Abbott Sq. School Band.
P., Miss Augusta P. Kirkstein.
40275 Wheeling, W. Va.
Wesley Jr. League Band.
P., Hugh Allen.
40276 Washington, D. C.
Brent School.
Agassiz Band.
P., Miss A. L. Grant.
40277 Brent Humane Workers Band.
P., Miss M. E. Kealey.
40278 Junior Humane Band.
P., Annie M. Leonard.
40279 Willing Workers Band.
P., Miss Ada Hyam.
40280 Little Helpers Band.
P., Miss M. E. Graves.
40281 Brent Defenders Band.
P., Miss A. A. Hinkel.
40282 Little Protectors Band.
P., Miss Bettie M. Diver.
40283 Loving Hearts Band.
P., Miss Julia Ball.
40284 Sunbeams Band.
P., Daisy E. Pumphrey.
40285 Sunshine Band.
P., Miss Mabel L. Vanhan.
40286 Golden Rule Band.
P., Miss M. M. Hall.
40287 Carbery School.
Carbery Defenders Band.
P., Miss M. E. Little.
40288 To-the-Rescue Band.
P., Miss A. P. Stramberger.
40289 League of Helpers Band.
P., Miss Emily Hunt.
40290 Carbery Protection Band.
P., Miss Lillian Basset.
40291 Willing Helpers Band.
P., Miss Jessie Gardner.
40292 Faithful Workers Band.
P., Frances W. Potter.
40293 Sunshine Band.
P., Theresa Herrie.
40294 Life Saving Band.
P., Miss Carrie Fuller.
40295 Little Helpers Band.
P., Miss Mary Holmes.
40296 Unselfish Band.
P., Miss E. M. Bell.
40297 Williamsport, Pa.
Franklin School Band.
P., Jennie B. Strasburger.
40298 Haverhill, Mass.
Old South Band.
P., Mrs. Geo. S. Durgin.
40299 E. Hampton, Conn.
Primary School Band.
P., Miss Carol Brown.
40300 Dover, N. J.
Willing Band.
P., Hannah M. Ely.
40301 Washington, D. C.
Peabody School.
Peabody Humane Band.
P., Miss M. A. Aukward.
40302 Peabody Defenders Band.
P., Miss Lydia Dalton.
40303 Peabody Champions Bd.
P., Miss Clara Willenbacher.
40304 Peabody Protectors Band.
P., Miss Caroline Stewart.
40305 American Eagle Band.
P., Miss Isa Vanderwerker.
40306 Rescuers Band.
P., Miss Leonora Merritt.
40307 White Star Band.
P., Miss Mabel H. Swingle.
40308 Golden Rule Band.
P., Miss Lillian Burroughs.
40309 Busy Bees Band.
P., Miss Minnie Hodgkiss.
40310 Willing Workers Band.
P., Miss Addie T. Lyon.
40311 Happy Hearts Band.
P., Miss B. Leontizter.
40312 Little Helpers Band.
P., Miss Margaret Brady.
40313 Blue Birds Band.
P., Miss Lulu Thorne.
40314 Sunbeams Band.
P., George Vance.
40315 Hilton School.
Humane Endeavorers Bd.
P., Julia M. Rawlings.
40316 Hilton Helpers Band.
P., Miss May Jenkins.
40317 Hilton Defenders Band.
P., Florence Hopkins.
40318 Ready Defenders Band.
P., Marie A. Kuhnle.
40319 Hilton Protectors Band.
P., Elizabeth Purman.
40320 Willing Workers Band.
P., E. Louise Smith.
40321 Little Protectors Band.
P., Mary Yount.
40322 Loving Protectors Band.
P., Miss Sarah West.
40323 Brantford, Ont.
Brantford Jr. C. E. Band.
P., Jean Passmore.
40324 Warren, Ohio.
Junior C. E. Band.
P., Eva Lees.
40325 Brockville, Ont., Can.
Park St. Jr. C. E. Band.
P., Ethel M. Pennock.
40326 Central Falls, R. I.
Dewey Band.
P., Ida I. Phillips.
40327 St. Joseph, Mo.
Zions Star Band.
P., David J. Krahle.
40328 Columbus, Ohio.
Lincoln Band.
P., Ruth Hadley.
40329 Cresco, Iowa.
Cresco Humane Society Band.
P., Mrs. J. H. Bowers.
40330 Los Angeles, Cal.
News and Working Boys Home Band.
P., A. L. Penbody.
40331 Beloit, Wis.
Friendly Band.
P., Mrs. Helen L. Fraser.
40332 Tomahawk, Wis.
4th Grade School Band.
P., Miss Carew.
40333 Winlock, Wash.
Winlock School Band.
P., Maude Cantwell.
40334 Washington, D. C.
McCormick School.
Willing Workers Band.
P., Miss A. Clements.
40335 Golden Rule Band.
P., Mrs. Lily Buehler.
40336 Little Sunbeams Band.
P., Miss Effie Rowe.
40337 Sunshine Band.
P., Miss Henrietta Dunlop.
40338 Little Defenders Band.
P., Miss Sarah Beamer.
40339 Little Protectors Band.
P., Miss May Baker.
40340 Lenox School.
Humane Volunteers Bd.
P., Miss N. L. Nourse.
40341 Lenox Alfred Band.
P., Miss M. E. Armistead.
40342 Champions of Mercy Bd.
P., Miss E. N. Snowden.
40343 Willing Workers Band.
P., Miss A. M. Foley.
40344 Ever Ready Band.
P., Miss M. C. Bock.
40345 Protecting Band.
P., Miss R. G. Carraher.
40346 Gentle Hearts Band.
P., Miss M. Estelle Brady.
40347 Little Defenders Band.
P., Miss Imogene Rohrer.
40348 Cheerful Workers Band.
P., Miss Lillian Carpenter.
40349 Kind Acts Band.
P., Miss B. L. Yoder.
40350 Robin Red Breast Band.
P., Miss Lily Busey.
40351 Winchester, Mass.
Black Horse Hill Band.
P., Henry L. Richards, Jr.
40352 Buffalo, N. Y.
St. Marks Kind Hearted Band.
P., Mrs. Parcells.
40353 Decatur, Ill.
High School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Enoch A. Gastman.
40354 No. 2 Band.
P., Frank Hamsher.
40355 No. 3 Band.
P., J. H. Conradt.
40356 No. 4 Band.
P., Charles Wolcott.
40357 No. 5 Band.
P., F. Winslow.
40358 No. 6 Band.
P., S. W. Ehrman.
40359 No. 7 Band.
P., O. F. Smith.
40360 No. 8 Band.
P., Mary W. French.
40361 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss Howes.
40362 No. 10 Band.
P., Miss Pillsbury.
40363 No. 11 Band.
P., Miss Lockett.
40364 No. 12 Band.
P., Miss Blar.
40365 No. 13 Band.
P., Miss Coolidge.
40366 No. 14 Band.
P., Miss Moore.
40367 No. 15 Band.
P., Miss McGorray.
40368 No. 16 Band.
P., Miss Southwick.
40369 No. 17 Band.
P., Miss Seymour.
40370 No. 18 Band.
P., Miss Hubbard.
40371 No. 19 Band.
P., Miss Gastman.
40372 No. 20 Band.
P., Mrs. Brown.
40373 Sangamon St. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Mary L. English.
40374 No. 2 Band.
P., Lois M. Roberts.
40375 No. 3 Band.
P., Ella Boyer.
40376 No. 4 Band.
P., Mary E. Barth.
40377 No. 5 Band.
P., Mabel W. Barrett.
40378 No. 6 Band.
P., Alice J. Mead.
40379 Warren St. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Thomas L. Evans.
40380 No. 2 Band.
P., Helen Perry.
40381 No. 3 Band.
P., Marian L. Dills.
40382 No. 4 Band.
P., Eva Humphrey.
40383 No. 5 Band.
P., Mary E. Moore.
40384 No. 6 Band.
P., Clara B. Bothel.
40385 No. 7 Band.
P., M. Mary Cochran.
40386 No. 8 Band.
P., Laura Montgomery.
40387 Marietta St. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Mary B. Brand.
40388 No. 2 Band.
P., Mrs. Montgomery.
40389 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Longenecker.
40390 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Adams.
40391 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Wallace.
40392 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss Muthersbaugh.
40393 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss File.
40394 Pugh School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Eva M. Bixby.
40395 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Pritchett.
40396 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Imboden.
40397 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Search.
40398 Church St. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Mrs. Nilson.
40399 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Dennis.
40400 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Hoffman.
40401 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss C. Hoffman.
40402 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Drobisch.
40403 No. 6 Band.
P., Mrs. Murphy.
40404 Wood St. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss Dempsey.
40405 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Durfee.
40406 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Hawkes.
40407 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Davis.
40408 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Hockingberry.
40409 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss Hutchinson.
40410 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss Smith.
40411 Oaklawn School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss Williams.
40412 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Wilson.
40413 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Quinlan.
40414 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Neil.
40415 Jackson St. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss Norman.
40416 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Hamilton.
40417 No. 3 Band.
P., Mrs. Keer.
40418 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Spencer.
40419 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Beamer.
40420 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss Bishop.
40421 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss Davidson.
40422 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss Martin.
40423 Jasper St. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., R. F. Davidson.
40424 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Bigelow.
40425 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Davis.
40426 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss MacClurg.
40427 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Young.
40428 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss Vettuliet.
40429 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss Gregory.
40430 H. B. Durfee School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Mary W. Moore.
40431 No. 2 Band.
P., Anna E. Mead.
40432 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Montgomery.
40433 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Eve.
40434 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Deverett.
40435 St. Theresa Academy.
No. 1 Band.
P., Sister Lucy.
40436 No. 2 Band.
P., Sister Mary.
40437 No. 3 Band.
P., Sister Gabriel.
40438 No. 4 Band.
P., Sister Magdalin.
40439 No. 5 Band.
P., Sister Stanislaus.
40440 St. James School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Rev. A. Teppe.
40441 No. 2 Band.
P., Sister Angeline.
40442 No. 3 Band.
P., Sister Wilfreda.
40443 No. 4 Band.
P., Sister Otto.
40444 St. Paul's Lutheran School.
No. 1 Band.
P., G. Jager.
40445 St. John's Lutheran School.
No. 1 Band.
P., A. M. Reinhardt.
40446 No. 2 Band.
P., J. T. Link.
40447 No. 3 Band.
P., R. Scheiter.
40448 St. Mary's Hospital.
No. 1 Band.
P., Morris Plains, N. J.
Good Resolve Band.
P., Emma Allen.
40450 Union, Iowa.
Union Humane Society Bd.
P., Cora Landy.

- 40451 *Bethany, W. Va.*
Bethany Humane Society Band.
P., Katherine V. Scott.
- 40452 *Jeffersonville, Ind.*
Willing Workers Band.
P., Maggie Coleman.
- 40453 *Martha, Oklahoma.*
Martha Humane Society Band.
P., Miss Crystal Doyl.
- 40454 *Mitchellville, Ia.*
Starlight Band.
P., Jessie Uhl.
- 40455 *Devils Lake, N. Dak.*
Golden Rule Band.
P., Lillie Caykendall.
- 40456 *McLellan's Corners, Pa.*
Our Union Band.
P., Miss Leora Willet.
- 40457 *Riley, Ind.*
Willing Hearts Band.
P., L. D. Harris.
- 40458 *Shawano, Wis.*
Shawano White Lily Band.
P., Emma L. Sommers.
- 40459 *N. Y. City, N. Y.*
St. James Band.
P., M. R. Clifford.
- 40460 *Geneva, N. Y.*
Hollister Band.
P., Miss C. E. Hollister.
- 40461 *San Antonio, Tex.*
De Zavala Chapter of Aunt Ruth's Band.
P., Charles Callaghan.
- 40462 *Holyoke, Mass.*
Appleton St. School Band.
P., Mary E. Martin.
- 40463 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 2.*
P., Jennie L. Somers.
- 40464 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 3.*
P., Lulu M. Porter.
- 40465 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 4.*
P., Minnie E. Webster.
- 40466 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 5.*
P., Mary E. Sullivan.
- 40467 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 6.*
P., Regina P. Monier.
- 40468 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 7.*
P., R. W. Metcalf.
- 40469 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 8.*
P., C. J. Felton.
- 40470 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 9.*
P., George T. Smith.
- 40471 *Appleton St. School Band, Div. 10.*
P., Della M. Moriarty.
- 40472 *Elm St. School Band, Div. 1.*
P., Sara A. Clifford.
- 40473 *Elm St. School Band, Div. 2.*
P., A. Belle Smith.
- 40474 *Elm St. School Band, Div. 3.*
P., S. M. Mayo.
- 40475 *Elm St. School Band, Div. 4.*
P., E. T. McIntee.
- 40476 *Elm St. School Band, Div. 5.*
P., Emma M. Wilson.
- 40477 *Elm St. School Band, Div. 6.*
P., M. L. Cavanaugh.
- 40478 *Elm St. School Band, Div. 7.*
P., M. L. Cavanaugh.
- 40479 *Elm St. School Band, Div. 8.*
P., E. I. Alderman.
- 40480 *Sargent St. School Band, Div. 1.*
P., Annie F. Downing.
- 40481 *Sargent St. School Band, Div. 2.*
P., E. L. Curran.
- 40482 *Sargent St. School Band, Div. 3.*
P., C. M. Kennelly.
- 40483 *Sargent St. School Band, Div. 4.*
P., Anna A. Kane.
- 40484 *Sargent St. School Band, Div. 5.*
P., A. G. Callopy.
- 40485 *Sargent St. School Band, Div. 6.*
P., Katherine T. Heafey.
- 40486 *Sargent St. School Band, Div. 7.*
P., Mary A. Kennedy.
- 40487 *Sargent St. School Band, Div. 8.*
P., Kathleen McCarthy.
- 40488 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 1.*
P., L. B. Richards.
- 40489 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 2.*
P., A. E. McCarthy.
- 40490 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 3.*
P., A. E. Gaynor.
- 40491 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 4.*
P., E. B. Ingraham.
- 40492 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 5.*
P., D. P. Howes.
- 40493 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 6.*
P., L. F. Heirits.
- 40494 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 7.*
P., E. M. Curran.
- 40495 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 8.*
P., L. M. Tuttle.
- 40496 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 9.*
P., M. G. Eaton.
- 40497 *So. Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 10.*
P., A. B. McCabe.
- 40498 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 1.*
P., E. A. Arnold.
- 40499 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 2.*
P., B. R. Mann.
- 40500 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 3.*
P., E. G. Scoiley.
- 40501 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 4.*
P., E. M. Doyle.
- 40502 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 5.*
P., E. E. Lyons.
- 40503 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 6.*
P., Katherine E. Shea.
- 40504 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 7.*
P., D. M. Rieley.
- 40505 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 8.*
P., M. B. Batchelder.
- 40506 *Chestnut St. School Band, Div. 9.*
P., Nellie Perry.
- 40507 *Ewingville School Band, Div. 1.*
P., Mary E. Ford.
- 40508 *Ewingville School Band, Div. 2.*
P., H. A. Shine.
- 40509 *Park St. School Band, Div. 1.*
P., K. R. Warren.
- 40510 *Park St. School Bd., Div. 2.*
P., M. T. Canavan.
- 40511 *Park St. School Bd., Div. 3.*
P., M. M. Schmitter.
- 40512 *Park St. School Bd., Div. 4.*
P., H. P. Doty.
- 40513 *Park St. School Bd., Div. 5.*
P., Hannah V. O'Brien.
- 40514 *Park St. School Bd., Div. 6.*
P., H. B. Ramage.
- 40515 *Park St. School Bd., Div. 7.*
P., K. C. Scoiley.
- 40516 *Park St. School Bd., Div. 8.*
P., C. M. Fuller.
- 40517 *South St. School Bd., Div. 1.*
P., L. A. Judd.
- 40518 *South St. School Bd., Div. 2.*
P., Amelia Stapleton.
- 40519 *South St. School Bd., Div. 3.*
P., M. Clara Cleveland.
- 40520 *South St. School Bd., Div. 4.*
P., M. T. Coffey.
- 40521 *South St. School Bd., Div. 5.*
P., G. B. LeDoyt.
- 40522 *South St. School Bd., Div. 6.*
P., M. A. Lynn.
- 40523 *South St. School Bd., Div. 7.*
P., K. R. Burke.
- 40524 *South St. School Bd., Div. 8.*
P., K. T. Chapin.
- 40525 *South St. School Bd., Div. 9.*
P., K. E. Sheehan.
- 40526 *South St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 10.*
P., E. M. Bartlett.
- 40527 *South St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 11.*
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- 40528 *South St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 12.*
P., ———
- 40529 *Bangor, Maine.*
H. E. Foss Band.
P., Mrs. H. M. Church.
- 40530 *Washington, D. C.*
Tyler School.
P., Miss S. A. Langley.
- 40531 *Animal Defenders Band.*
P., Miss S. A. Tichenor.
- 40532 *American Protectors Bd.*
P., Miss Minnie McCormick.
- 40533 *Young American Band.*
P., Miss Ida A. Green.
- 40534 *Protection Band.*
P., Miss E. J. Lackey.
- 40535 *Willing Workers Band.*
P., Miss Mary E. Wood.
- 40536 *Thoughtful Band.*
P., Miss Emma M. Smith.
- 40537 *Sunshine Band.*
P., Miss Alma B. Goodman.
- 40538 *Pansy Band.*
P., Mary R. Parkman.
- 40539 *Little Sunbeams Band.*
P., Miss Clara Trow.
- 40540 *Forget-me-not Band.*
P., Florence Montrop.
- 40541 *Buchanan School.*
Juvenile Humane Band.
P., Miss M. M. Dyer.
- 40542 *Little Protectors Band.*
P., Miss N. B. Crosswell.
- 40543 *American Defenders Bd.*
P., Miss Florence Leighton.
- 40544 *Brave Hearts Band.*
P., Miss L. J. Burrough.
- 40545 *Golden Rule Band.*
P., Miss Ada Farrington.
- 40546 *Creature Defenders Bd.*
P., Miss M. Katharine Espey.
- 40547 *Buchanan Protectors Bd.*
P., Miss Sarah Musson.
- 40548 *Helping Hands Bd.*
P., Miss M. M. Grabame.
- 40549 *Sunshine Band.*
P., Emily C. Carr.
- 40550 *Crunch School.*
American Protectors Bd.
P., Miss M. J. Peabody.
- 40551 *Longfellow Band.*
P., Jessie Walling.
- 40552 *Ready Helpers Band.*
P., Miss A. R. Williamson.
- 40553 *Little Protectors Band.*
P., Miss Georgie Wenner.
- 40554 *Happy Hearts Band.*
P., Miss Helen Alden.
- 40555 *Willing Workers Band.*
P., Miss Ellen Brewer.
- 40556 *Helping Hands Band.*
P., Miss Mary Williams.
- 40557 *Sunshine Band.*
P., Miss Mackey Wanstaw.
- 40558 *Little Sunbeams Band.*
P., Miss Emelyn Espey.
- 40559 *St. Joseph, Mo.*
Neeley Band.
P., Emily Robinson.
- 40560 *Hutchinson, Kan.*
Lookout Band.
P., Roy Knide.
- 40561 *Worcester, Mass.*
Catherine Stevenson Bd.
P., Mary McKean.
- 40562 *Almont, Mich.*
Children's Christian Temperance Band.
P., Jennie Burlingame.
- 40563 *Central Falls, E. I.*
Snowflake Band.
P., Miss Annie Davenport.
- 40564 *Ward Band.*
P., Anna Earle.
- 40565 *Kirwin, Kan.*
Humane Dept. of Jr. E. L. Band.
P., Mrs. Nellie L. Ensign.
- 40566 *New Holstein, Wis.*
Pink Band.
P., Jennie C. Krochake.
- 40567 *Nampa, Idaho.*
Nampa Jr. C. E. Band.
P., Ruth B. Mead.
- 40568 *Meriden, Conn.*
Meriden Jr. C. E. Band.
P., Mr. J. W. Logan.
- 40569 *Washington, D. C.*
Grant School.
Grant Defenders Band.
P., Mr. S. M. Ryder.
- 40570 *Olympia Defenders Band.*
P., Miss Cora Ossire.
- 40571 *Ryder Band.*
P., Miss M. A. Monigal.
- 40572 *Sunbeams Band.*
P., Alice R. Clarke.
- 40573 *Toner School.*
Little Sunbeams Band.
P., Miss Alice Parker.
- 40574 *Sunbeam Band.*
P., Leroy Wood.
- 40575 *Jacksonville, Ill.*
High School.
No. 1 Band.
P., J. W. Henninger.
- 40576 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Hugh S. Weston.
- 40577 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss Hamilton.
- 40578 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Mrs. Koch.
- 40579 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Mr. Montgomery.
- 40580 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Miss Cafky.
- 40581 *No. 7 Band.*
P., J. T. Fairbank.
- 40582 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Miss Ward.
- 40583 *Jefferson School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Ida Smith.
- 40584 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Miss White.
- 40585 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss Young.
- 40586 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss McCullough.
- 40587 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss Staley.
- 40588 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Mrs. Davitt.
- 40589 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Mrs. Caldwell.
- 40590 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Miss Schaub.
- 40591 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Miss DeCastro.
- 40592 *No. 10 Band.*
P., Miss Baldwin.
- 40593 *No. 11 Band.*
P., Miss Shrehan.
- 40594 *No. 12 Band.*
P., Miss Knollenberg.
- 40595 *No. 13 Band.*
P., Miss Pires.
- 40596 *LaFayette School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Mary French.
- 40597 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Miss Hayden.
- 40598 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss DeLeuw.
- 40599 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss Higgins.
- 40600 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss King.
- 40601 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Miss Alkire.
- 40602 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Mrs. Walls.
- 40603 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Miss Young.
- 40604 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Miss Smith.
- 40605 *No. 10 Band.*
P., Miss Dunlap.
- 40606 *No. 11 Band.*
P., Miss Paxton.
- 40607 *No. 12 Band.*
P., Miss Russell.
- 40608 *No. 13 Band.*
P., Miss Upham.
- 40609 *Franklin School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss Sellars.
- 40610 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Miss Odiorne.
- 40611 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss Tyrrell.
- 40612 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss Higler.
- 40613 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss Knollenberg.
- 40614 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Miss Anderson.
- 40615 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Miss Huckstep.
- 40616 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Miss Rayhill.
- 40617 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Miss Phillips.
- 40618 *No. 10 Band.*
P., Miss Goodrich.
- 40619 *Morton School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss Maher.
- 40620 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Miss Hamlett.
- 40621 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss Loar.
- 40622 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss Fox.
- 40623 *Washington School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss Lusk.
- 40624 *No. 2 Band.*
P., M. E. Duckels.
- 40625 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss E. Hammond.
- 40626 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss L. Hammond.
- 40627 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss Cafky.
- 40628 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Miss Long.
- 40629 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Miss Russell.
- 40630 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Miss Van Winkle.
- 40631 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Miss Morrison.
- 40632 *No. 10 Band.*
P., Miss Hayden.
- 40633 *No. 11 Band.*
P., Miss Hamilton.
- 40634 *No. 12 Band.*
P., Mrs. Smith.
- 40635 *No. 13 Band.*
P., Miss Bronson.
- 40636 *No. 14 Band.*
P., J. T. Anderson.
- 40637 *E. Marinette, Wis.*
Menckaus School Band.
P., Forest LaViolette.
- 40638 *Woodbridge, N. J.*
Locust Grove Band.
P., Jennie Walker.
- 40639 *Kansas City, Mo.*
Jefferson School Band.
P., Linnie Engaes.
- 40640 *Williamsport, Pa.*
L. T. Band.
P., Caroline MacMinn.
- 40641 *Swan, Iowa.*
Red Rose Band.
P., Master Worth Hooper.
- 40642 *Maywood, Ill.*
I Will Band.
P., Miss M. A. Arens.
- 40643 *Washington, R. I.*
Lincoln Band.
P., S. Eliza Knight.
- 40644 *Elgin, Neb.*
Antelope Society Band.
P., Anna Kels.
- 40645 *San Antonio, Tex.*
Lakeside Band.
P., Buchel Gibbs.
- 40646 *Fort Scott, Kan.*
Bunker Hill School Band.
P., H. S. Brimhall.
- 40647 *San Francisco, Cal.*
Hawthorne Pr. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss M. Barrett.
- 40648 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Mrs. I. M. Reeves.
- 40649 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Mrs. F. E. Barrington.
- 40650 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Mrs. E. W. Beanston.
- 40651 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss M. A. McLean.
- 40652 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Miss V. Harold.
- 40653 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Miss L. F. Simon.
- 40654 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Mrs. M. C. Williams.
- 40655 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Miss M. L. Love.
- 40656 *No. 10 Band.*
P., Miss M. L. Lynch.
- 40657 *No. 11 Band.*
P., Miss R. Tompkins.
- 40658 *Peabody Pr. School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss H. Spalding.
- 40659 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Miss A. A. Duffy.
- 40660 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss L. O'Neil.
- 40661 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss L. Lavery.
- 40662 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss P. Morgan.
- 40663 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Mrs. H. Gray.
- 40664 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Mrs. F. Davis.
- 40665 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Miss M. Dwyer.
- 40666 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Mrs. V. Ingram.
- 40667 *No. 10 Band.*
P., Miss A. O'Brien.
- 40668 *No. 11 Band.*
P., Mrs. A. Ephraim.
- 40669 *Douglas Pr. School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss M. Hetzer.
- 40670 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Miss M. A. Doherty.
- 40671 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss E. M. Boyle.
- 40672 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss L. M. Cox.
- 40673 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss E. Houghton.
- 40674 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Miss M. F. O'Reilly.
- 40675 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Miss M. E. Walsh.
- 40676 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Miss C. E. Parks.
- 40677 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Mrs. F. P. Bronson.
- 40678 *No. 10 Band.*
P., Miss M. R. Parks.
- 40679 *Girls High School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss Fidelia Jewett.
- 40680 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Miss N. M. Owens.
- 40681 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss H. L. Leszynsky.
- 40682 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss M. L. Hunt.
- 40683 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss C. E. Wilson.
- 40684 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Mrs. Mary Pray.
- 40685 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Miss H. M. Thompson.
- 40686 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Miss Kate Elliott.
- 40687 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Mrs. M. J. Mayborn.
- 40688 *No. 10 Band.*
P., Miss A. Marchebout.
- 40689 *Edison Pr. School.*
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss I. C. Emmons.
- 40690 *No. 2 Band.*
P., Miss M. C. Kelly.
- 40691 *No. 3 Band.*
P., Miss L. Booth.
- 40692 *No. 4 Band.*
P., Miss H. Corlett.
- 40693 *No. 5 Band.*
P., Miss M. Peltret.
- 40694 *No. 6 Band.*
P., Miss C. McDermott.
- 40695 *No. 7 Band.*
P., Miss A. Harrigan.
- 40696 *No. 8 Band.*
P., Mrs. M. Steele.
- 40697 *No. 9 Band.*
P., Miss M. Robinett.
- 40698 *Cruse, Ga.*
Pleasant Hill Band.
P., C. A. Keith.
- 40699 *Washington, R. I.*
Lincoln Band.
P., Charles A. Bennett.
- 40700 *St. Michaels, Md.*
Sunbeams Band.
P., Miss Kate Baker.

- 40701 *Washington, D. C.*
Weightman School.
Bluebird Band.
P., Florence Lyddam.
- 40702 Robin Red Breast Band.
P., Miss Mamie Eckles.
- 40703 *Milton, Pa.*
Milton Band.
P., Martha Aunkst.
- 40704 *San Francisco, Cal.*
Golden Gate Band.
P., Carl Quellmalz.
- 40705 *West New Brighton, S. I.*
N. Y.
Forget-me-not Band.
P., Miss Lydia Heal.
- 40706 *Beals Island, Me.*
Beals Island Band.
P., Maynard Beal.
- 40707 *Washington, D. C.*
Taylor School.
Sunbeams Band.
P., Miss E. A. Caspari.
- 40708 Bluebird Band.
P., Miss Helen Richmond.
- 40709 Little Defenders Band.
P., Miss L. L. McKenzie.
- 40710 Red Cross Band.
P., Miss Bernice Spies.
- 40711 Blair School.
Willing Workers Band.
P., Miss Ethel Maurer.
- 40712 Busy Bees Band.
P., Miss Ray Kaufman.
- 40713 *Drovers, Cal.*
Vassar Band.
P., Anna M. Cook.
- 40714 *Reading, Mass.*
Old and Young Band.
P., Arthur W. Temple.
- 40715 *Cliff Island, Me.*
White Wings Band.
P., Iva Griffin.
- 40716 *Trader, Iowa*
Mercy Band.
P., Margaret Wentch.
- 40717 *Plainfield, Iowa.*
First Bapt., Jr. C. E. Band.
P., Mrs. Mary Searles.
- 40718 *Westerly, R. I.*
Pansy Jr. C. E. Band.
P., Mrs. J. D. Wederkinch.
- 40719 *St. Joseph, Mo.*
Aspey Band.
P., Miss Pearl Best.
- 40720 White Star Band.
P., Miss Eleanor Runcie.
- 40721 *St. Johnsbury, Vt.*
Green Mountain Band.
P., Marion Wright.
- 40722 *Coshocton, Ohio.*
Little Helpers Band.
P., Miss Tillie A. Laurie.
- 40723 Earlington, Ky.
Earlington Beautiful Joe Band.
P., Pansy R. Rule.
- 40724 *Amity, Mo.*
Junior League Band.
P., Bernice Thorp.
- 40725 *Holyoke, Mass.*
West St. School.
West St. School Band, Div. 1.
P., K. A. Mahoney.
- 40726 West St. School Band, Div. 2.
P., K. M. Holmes.
- 40727 West St. School Band, Div. 3.
P., M. T. O'Donnell.
- 40728 West St. School Band, Div. 4.
P., E. M. Donoghue.
- 40729 West St. School Band, Div. 5.
P., M. E. Hussey.
- 40730 West St. School Band, Div. 6.
P., L. E. Kelley.
- 40731 West St. School Band, Div. 7.
P., A. L. Lynch.
- 40732 West St. School Band, Div. 8.
P., J. R. MacMahon.
- 40733 West St. School Band, Div. 9.
P., K. T. Regan.
- 40734 West St. School Band, Div. 10.
P., L. A. Downie.
- 40735 West St. School Band, Div. 11.
P., L. G. Connor.
- 40736 West St. School Band, Div. 12.
P., S. E. Heyward.
- 40737 West St. School Band, Div. 13.
P., M. A. Healy.
- 40738 West St. School Band, Div. 14.
P., M. G. O'Brien.
- 40739 Dwight St. School.
Dwight St. School Band,
Div. 1.
P., Lillian Hogan.
- 40740 Dwight St. School Band,
Div. 2.
P., S. J. C. Todd.
- 40741 Dwight St. School Band,
Div. 3.
P., Theresa Conway.
- 40742 Dwight St. School Band,
Div. 4.
P., T. L. Dowd.
- 40743 Dwight St. School Band,
Div. 5.
P., N. G. Linehan.
- 40744 Dwight St. School Band,
Div. 6.
P., A. M. Casey.
- 40745 Dwight St. School Band,
Div. 7.
P., E. J. Markham.
- 40746 Dwight St. School Band,
Div. 8.
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- 40747 Hamilton St. School.
Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 1.
P., E. S. Smith.
- 40748 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 2.
P., E. M. O'Neil.
- 40749 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 3.
P., C. H. Buckley.
- 40750 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 4.
P., E. M. Greeley.
- 40751 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 5.
P., M. A. Donoghue.
- 40752 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 6.
P., E. M. Wing.
- 40753 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 7.
P., Miss Flaherty.
- 40754 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 8.
P., R. G. Herlihy.
- 40755 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 9.
P., M. E. Keith.
- 40756 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 10.
P., H. B. Grant.
- 40757 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 11.
P., M. A. Donoghue.
- 40758 Hamilton St. School Band,
Div. 12.
P., J. E. Healy.
- 40759 Nonotuck School.
Nonotuck School Band,
Div. 1.
P., Sara E. Wilcoxen.
- 40760 Nonotuck School Band,
Div. 2.
P., R. A. Cook.
- 40761 Nonotuck School Band,
Div. 3.
P., K. A. Welch.
- 40762 Nonotuck School Band,
Div. 4.
P., J. A. Reardon.
- 40763 Nonotuck School Bd. Div. 5.
P., L. I. Thayer.
- 40764 Nonotuck School Bd., Div. 6.
P., L. B. Ramage.
- 40765 Nonotuck School Bd., Div. 7.
P., M. C. Griffin.
- 40766 Nonotuck School Bd., Div. 8.
P., E. M. Swind.
- 40767 Nonotuck School Bd., Div. 9.
P., T. D. Reardon.
- 40768 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 10.
P., A. M. Reardon.
- 40769 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 11.
P., S. W. Brennan.
- 40770 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 12.
P., E. L. Smith.
- 40771 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 13.
P., M. L. Teahan.
- 40772 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 14.
P., R. P. Whitney.
- 40773 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 15.
P., A. N. Miller.
- 40774 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 16.
P., M. C. Perkins.
- 40775 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 17.
P., M. A. Cavanaugh.
- 40776 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 18.
P., H. S. Smith.
- 40777 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 19.
P., J. R. Lynn.
- 40778 Nonotuck Sch'l Bd., Div. 20.
P., K. G. Shine.
- 40779 Springdale School.
Springdale Sch'l Bd., Div. 1.
P., Agnes C. Kelly.
- 40780 Springdale Sch'l Bd., Div. 2.
P., Nellie A. Lynch.
- 40781 Springdale Sch'l Bd., Div. 3.
P., Abbe S. Sullivan.
- 40782 Ingleside School.
Helen Gould Band.
P., Thomas J. McCoy.
- 40783 Bridge St. School.
Bridge St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 1.
P., E. S. Brooks.
- 40784 Bridge St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 2.
P., K. A. O'Neill.
- 40785 Bridge St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 3.
P., E. M. Wellington.
- 40786 Bridge St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 4.
P., M. A. Brown.
- 40787 Bridge St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 5.
P., M. V. Herbert.
- 40788 Bridge St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 6.
P., J. A. Moriarty.
- 40789 Bridge St. Sch'l Bd., Div. 7.
P., M. M. Fitzgerald.
- 40790 *Holyoke, Mass.*
Buck St. School Band.
P., Alice A. Moss.
- 40791 Lyman St. School Band.
P., Abbie M. Morgan.
- 40792 W. Holyoke School Band.
P., Anna J. Moynihan.
- 40793 St. Jerome's Boys School.
St. Jerome's Boys School
Band, Div. 1.
P., Sr. M. M.
- 40794 St. Jerome's Boys School
Band, Div. 2.
P., Sr. M. A.
- 40795 St. Jerome's Boys School
Band, Div. 3.
P., Sr. M. L.
- 40796 St. Jerome's Boys School
Band, Div. 4.
P., Sr. M. C.
- 40797 St. Jerome's Boys School
Band, Div. 5.
P., Sr. M. B.
- 40798 St. Jerome's Boys School
Band, Div. 6.
P., Sr. M. V.
- 40799 St. Jerome's Boys School
Band, Div. 7.
P., Sr. M. D.
- 40800 St. Jerome's Boys School
Band, Div. 8.
P., Sr. M. L.
- 40801 St. Jerome's Girls School.
St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 1.
P., Mary Ashe.
- 40802 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 2.
P., Sr. C. J. S. H.
- 40803 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 3.
P., Sr. M. F.
- 40804 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 4.
P., Sr. H. J. S. H.
- 40805 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 5.
P., Sr. F. A.
- 40806 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 6.
P., Sr. H. C.
- 40807 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 7.
P., Sr. J.
- 40808 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 8.
P., Sr. E.
- 40809 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 9.
P., Sr. M. C.
- 40810 St. Jerome's Girls School
Band, Div. 10.
P., Sr. E.
- 40811 *Port Orchard, Wash.*
Port Orchard Band.
P., Beulah Blean.
- 40812 *Chula Vista, Cal.*
Chula Vista Band.
P., Mrs. A. H. Todd.
- 40813 *Iron Jet, Minn.*
Black Beauty Band.
P., Agnes R. Holt.
- 40814 *Washington, D. C.*
Bradley School.
Golden Rule Band.
P., Miss Rose R. Hessler.
- 40815 Little Helpers Band.
P., Miss Elsie Sillers.
- 40816 *Anacostia, D. C.*
Van Buren School.
Landseer Band.
P., Mr. S. M. Ely.
- 40817 Van Buren Suburban De-
fenders Band.
P., Miss M. G. Young.
- 40818 Willing Defenders Band.
P., Miss Annie E. Loomis.
- 40819 Anacostia Protectors Band.
P., Miss Elsie E. Troutman.
- 40820 Patriotic Defenders Band.
P., Miss Lily Zimmerman.
- 40821 Young Americans Defenders
Band.
P., Miss Ruth E. Rucker.
- 40822 Eastern Star Band.
P., Miss Mary C. Dallas.
- 40823 American Defenders Band.
P., Miss A. W. Willige.
- 40824 Little Helpers Band.
P., Miss E. C. Hinkel.
- 40825 Robin Red Breast Band.
P., Miss Josephine Graham.
- 40826 Sunshine Band.
P., Miss S. C. Guerdum.
- 40827 Little Protectors Band.
P., Miss Bella M. Brooks.
- 40828 Helping Hands Band.
P., Miss Annie E. Douglas.
- 40829 Little Workers Band.
P., Miss Annie I. Little.
- 40830 Sunbeams Band.
P., Miss M. P. Lockwood.
- 40831 Golden Rule Band.
P., Miss Clara H. Burroughs.
- 40832 Industrial School.
Little Protectors Band.
P., Miss Susan B. Cook.
- 40833 *Millbrook, N. J.*
Longfellow Band.
P., Mr. B. S. Champion.
- 40834 *Coshocton, Ohio.*
Black Beauty Band.
P., Miss Nellie Owens.
- 40835 *Youngstown, Ohio.*
George Washington Band.
P., Master Chester Buxton.
- 40836 *Girard, Ohio.*
Golden Star Band.
P., Mrs. Edward H. Pew.
- 40837 *San Francisco, Cal.*
Polytechnic High School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss E. D. Armer.
- 40838 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss M. B. Conway.
- 40839 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss A. G. Duffy.
- 40840 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss B. T. Durkee.
- 40841 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss K. C. Fay.
- 40842 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss I. F. Garbarino.
- 40843 No. 7 Band.
P., Mrs. S. W. McPherson.
- 40844 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss M. Michener.
- 40845 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss H. E. Rademaker.
- 40846 No. 10 Band.
P., Miss L. Richards.
- 40847 No. 11 Band.
P., Miss G. Salcido.
- 40848 No. 12 Band.
P., Mrs. T. F. Spencer.
- 40849 No. 13 Band.
P., Miss M. M. Van Vleck.
- 40850 No. 14 Band.
P., Miss L. White.
- 40851 Fairmount Pr. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss E. E. Hammond.
- 40852 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss M. E. Torpey.
- 40853 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss M. E. Fitzgerald.
- 40854 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss C. Lewison.
- 40855 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss J. E. Dufrey.
- 40856 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss D. A. Fallon.
- 40857 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss L. V. Morgan.
- 40858 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss M. A. Monahan.
- 40859 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss E. Wickman.
- 40860 No. 10 Band.
P., Miss J. Leszynsky.
- 40861 No. 11 Band.
P., Mrs. A. Spreckles.
- 40862 No. 12 Band.
P., Miss A. A. Carey.
- 40863 No. 13 Band.
P., Miss A. P. Barry.
- 40864 No. 14 Band.
P., Miss D. E. Page.
- 40865 Moulder Pr. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss L. R. Chase.
- 40866 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss L. Harrigan.
- 40867 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss C. L. Duncan.
- 40868 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss S. Boukofsky.
- 40869 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss M. A. Wood.
- 40870 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss N. Fogarty.
- 40871 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss C. L. Duncan.
- 40872 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss A. E. Franks.
- 40873 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss M. K. Bristol.
- 40874 No. 10 Band.
P., Miss E. A. Dunn.
- 40875 No. 11 Band.
P., Miss I. Tobin.
- 40876 No. 12 Band.
P., Mrs. C. Tompkins.
- 40877 Redding Pr. School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Miss J. Saunders.
- 40878 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss M. O'Leary.
- 40879 No. 3 Band.
P., Mrs. B. Fenton.
- 40880 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss B. Dworzazek.
- 40881 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss C. Regan.
- 40882 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss L. Hanlon.
- 40883 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss S. Webster.
- 40884 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss A. Cherry.
- 40885 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss H. Crocker.
- 40886 No. 10 Band.
P., Miss F. Martin.
- 40887 No. 11 Band.
P., Mrs. L. Donahue.
- 40888 *Springfield, Ill.*
High School.
No. 1 Band.
P., J. H. Collins.
- 40889 No. 2 Band.
P., L. M. Castle.
- 40890 No. 3 Band.
P., Wm. Helme.
- 40891 No. 4 Band.
P., Emma F. Jones.
- 40892 No. 5 Band.
P., Susan E. Wilcox.
- 40893 No. 6 Band.
P., Ray R. Hiller.
- 40894 No. 7 Band.
P., A. C. Herre.
- 40895 No. 8 Band.
P., E. E. Turney.
- 40896 No. 9 Band.
P., Albert Carver.
- 40897 No. 10 Band.
P., F. A. Freark.
- 40898 No. 11 Band.
P., Carrie Galt.
- 40899 No. 12 Band.
P., Olive Sattley.
- 40900 No. 13 Band.
P., Grace Freeman.
- 40901 No. 14 Band.
P., Earnest A. Miner.
- 40902 Palmer School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Edward Kinney.
- 40903 No. 2 Band.
P., Rosa Herme.
- 40904 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Cassell.
- 40905 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Pinkard.
- 40906 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Trotter.
- 40907 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss Barnes.
- 40908 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss Weller.
- 40909 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss Willer.
- 40910 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss Howard.
- 40911 No. 10 Band.
P., Miss Ridgeway.
- 40912 No. 11 Band.
P., Miss Jack.
- 40913 Trapp School.
No. 1 Band.
P., Edward Anderson.
- 40914 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Goldsmith.
- 40915 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Sell.
- 40916 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Armbruster.
- 40917 No. 5 Band.
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- 40918 No. 6 Band.
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- 40920 No. 8 Band.
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- 40921 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss Bouchard.
- 40922 No. 10 Band.
P., Miss Davis.
- 40923 No. 11 Band.
P., Miss Eberlein.
- 40924 No. 12 Band.
P., Miss Groves.
- 40925 No. 13 Band.
P., Miss Myers.
- 40926 Edwards School.
No. 1 Band.
P., S. Bogardus.
- 40927 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Welch.
- 40928 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Cooper.
- 40929 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Withrow.
- 40930 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Thorpe.
- 40931 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss Brown.
- 40932 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss Maxcy.
- 40933 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss Snickdale.
- 40934 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss Jackson.
- 40935 Lincoln School.
No. 1 Band.
P., J. A. Richardson.
- 40936 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Wilson.
- 40937 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Shepherd.
- 40938 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Hoffman.
- 40939 No. 5 Band.
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- 40940 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss R. Cook.
- 40941 No. 7 Band.
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- 40942 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss Higgins.
- 40943 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss Nielsen.
- 40944 No. 10 Band.
P., Miss Brennan.
- 40945 No. 11 Band.
P., Miss Bennett.
- 40946 McClelland School.
No. 1 Band.
P., W. W. Burt.
- 40947 No. 2 Band.
P., Miss Watson.
- 40948 No. 3 Band.
P., Miss Fisher.
- 40949 No. 4 Band.
P., Miss Wallace.
- 40950 No. 5 Band.
P., Miss Winters.
- 40951 No. 6 Band.
P., Miss Keyes.
- 40952 No. 7 Band.
P., Miss Radcliffe.
- 40953 No. 8 Band.
P., Miss Foley.
- 40954 No. 9 Band.
P., Miss Dalbey.

NORFOLK, VIRGINIA.

We are glad to cut from the *Norfolk Public Ledger* an account of a kind action recently done by Mr. L. Clay Kilby, President of the Norfolk Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. We are glad to be an honorary member of a society which has that kind of a President.

ONLY A CAT.

A few nights ago as I was entering my residence a sound of distress came from under my front porch. Securing matches, I soon found a pitiful object—a cat that had evidently been mangled by dogs. Her face was scarred, eyes closed, and one leg broken in the thigh and hanging limp. Of course the only humane thing to do was to end her miserable life. I did not wish to shoot her, as that would have alarmed the neighborhood. I did not have the heart to dispatch her with a stick or club. What, then? I took her into my yard, made a cone of a newspaper, saturated a little cotton with chloroform and placed it in the cone, then held her head in the cone. Result: first a slight struggle to be released; a few seconds, a sound that indicated that the chloroform was taking effect and that the pain was leaving; a few seconds more, muscles relaxed and she lay motionless on her side; less than three minutes her breathing ceased, and inside of five minutes her painful life had come to a painless end. Yes, it was only a cat, but a feeling of comfort came to me because I had done the best that could be done under the circumstances, and conscience approved.

[Our Mass. S. P. C. A. is obliged to employ one man all the time, and two others much of the time, in relieving cats from suffering.]

GOOD ON THE LAWYER.

A lawyer of this city, distinguished in his profession, owns a delightful summer home in Vermont. His neighbors there tell this story about his youngest child, a girl not more than 10. After much coaxing she prevailed on her father to buy her a donkey and cart. The first day of the donkey's arrival he was permitted to browse on the lawn. The child followed the little animal about, and thinking his countenance wore an uncommonly sad expression she cautiously approached and stroking his nose gently with her little hands, said: "Poor donkey! you feel lonesome, don't you? But never mind, papa will be here tomorrow and then you will have company."

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We last month published the following:

We have several times in past years given in this paper suggestions for saving lives from burning buildings.

Will any of our readers kindly tell us whether any fire-proof cloth has been or can be invented out of which light wraps may be made to cover body, head and feet quickly, night or day, and so aid in saving lives from burning buildings? GEO. T. ANGELL.

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Our Dumb Animals for November has come to hand, and like all its predecessors is very interesting, beautifully printed and elegantly illustrated. Its poetical selections display a refined taste and a humane and moral tone on the part of the editor, which distinctly shows that he fully understands how to inculcate the same sentiments in the minds of the youth of the land. *Our Dumb Animals* should be in the household of every family; especially where there are children it is invaluable.—*From Canadian Advertiser*.

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